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FROM THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

Arrival of the Entire Force in the Vicinity of Fortress Monroe.

Preparations to Move to its New Field of Operations.

SEVERAL DIVISIONS ALREADY EMBARKED.

Affairs at Williamsburgh and Yorktown.

From Our Special Correspondent.

FORTRESS MONROE, Tuesday, Aug. 10, 1862.

While passing through Williamsburgh, I paid a visit to the Union and Confederate hospitals. In the latter I found five persons wounded, all of whom have been confined there by their wounds since the battle of the 5th of May. Their names are as follows:

Thomas P. Parr, of Duck Spring, De Kalb County, Ala.—thigh.

Wm. H. Jeffress, Charlotte County, Va.—thigh.

Samuel J. Shapley, Pleasant Ridge, Miss.—knee.

Wm. A. Walker, Thompsonville, Rockingham County, N. C.—thigh.

All these patients are in the care of a careful hospital steward named H. F. BIRNBAUM, of the Fifth Pennsylvania Cavalry, and are doing well. We give their names for the satisfaction of their friends, with whom they have had no communication since they were wounded.

In the Union Hospital there are only five patients with light cases of fever, who are doing well. It is in charge of Dr. P. WAGER. An impression prevailed that the Cavalry Company now occupying the town would be withdrawn. There can be no object in holding Williamsburgh, and even Yorktown may be abandoned after our troops shall have embarked.

The army is already out of reach of the enemy's guns on the Peninsula, and is already in process of embarkation for another field of operation.

PORTER'S corps performed a very rapid march from Yorktown, making the whole distance of nearly 30 miles in less than one day. The cool weather contributed greatly to the comfort of the march. The division of Gen. MORELL, with the Staff, reached Hampton yesterday afternoon, and the wagon train, with the whole corps, were comfortably encamped before night. This morning they took up their line of march to Newport's News, from which place they will immediately embark.

SYKES' Division are already on board of transports.

SUMNER'S Corps, which formed the rear guard of the army, with FRENCH'S Brigade forming the extreme rear, arrived at Yorktown yesterday, all safe and sound. They will embark from that place, on board of the *Atlantic, Baltic, Vanderbilt* and other first-class transports. The entire wagon train of this corps arrived at Hampton and encamped to-day. They met with no accident on the road. They passed the Chickahominy on Saturday night.

MEAGHER'S Brigade preceded that of FRENCH-KEYES' and FRANKLIN'S corps are yet to come in. It is supposed they took the road by the way of Cole's Ferry and the Burnt Ordinary.

Affairs at Yorktown, under the command of Gen. VAN ALLEN, are in the best possible condition. The health of the place is good, and the troops occupying the intrenchments in the best of spirits. Important improvements, looking to the sanitary condition of the place, have been made under the supervision of Capt. REVERE, Provost-Marshal, and the town is in strong condition for defence.

A neat cemetery has been inclosed outside of the breastworks, in which some 300 of our troops are buried, each having a board with the name of each person, his regiment and time of decease, engraved on it.

The country ought to set apart a day of thanksgiving for the deliverance of the Army of the Potomac from one of the most unhealthy and uncomfortable locations in the United States. E. S.

IMPORTANT FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

Enthusiastic Reception of One Hundred and Sixty-one Union Prisoners from Richmond—What they Say of Dixie—Horrible Treatment of Southern Unionists—Capture of a Rebel Spy with Letters, &c.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OLD POINT, Tuesday, Aug. 19, 1862.

One of the most soul-stirring and enlivening scenes ever witnessed here—or, indeed, anywhere else—was the arrival last evening of one hundred and sixty one of our officers—returned prisoners of war from the rebel clutches—including the remaining two of the old hostages who were with CORCORAN, viz.: Lieut.-Col. G. W. NEFF, of the old Second Kentucky, and Maj. JAS. D. POTTER, of the Thirty-eighth New-York. They came from Aiken's Landing, on board the *Star*, in the charge of Capt. MILWARD, of whose kindness and politeness they all speak in the highest terms, and go on, this afternoon, in a special boat to Washington.

I could give you a full account of the very interesting scenes which occurred during the transit of these officers down the James River, but the graphic description forwarded by this mail from your correspondent "TRAXUS" (one of the reclaimed prisoners on board)—and which he read to me in manuscript—will be found so ample and entertaining, that there is little or nothing to add to it.

A Richmond paper, a short time since, had the audacity to prophesy that these prisoners, on returning to their long-sorrowing homes, would be "silent missionaries" in the cause of secession, meaning, doubtless, that the excessive kindness they had received, and the insight they had had into rebel power and determination, would not only exalt the traitors in our estimation, but scare us in contemplating them. The rebel sheet was right. These brave fellows *will be* missionaries, but not exactly in the sense the writer meant. If, when they come to preach about their experiences during the time they were confined in Secessia, they do not quicken the pulse, madden the brain and arouse the energies of our Northern people to crush these infernal monsters, then there is no amount of ignominy, brutality and wrong that can arouse the Northern mind from its fatal and infatuated slumber.

Two prisoners of the old stock are yet held as prisoners, at Salisbury, N. C. They are Surgeon G. D. SLOCUM, of the gunboat *Wachusetts*, who was taken at City Point a short time ago, and Surgeon J. B. HOFFMAN, of the Fifth Ohio, a well-known Cincinnatian.

These returned prisoners all corroborate what we have hitherto heard of the filthiness of the Richmond prisons, and of the vile treatment of the rebels toward our prisoners—but all that they suffer is mildness itself compared to the horrible sufferings they reserve for the prisoners who are *Unionists of the South*. These unfortunate creatures—many of them decrepid old men past the age of 80—are confined alone in loathsome dungeons, literally deprived of the food and clothing necessary to sustain life, and are rapidly dying off from the horrible treatment to which they are subjected. Any Southern prison is hell, but the deepest hell is reserved for those noble spirits who, in spite of all threats and temptations, still dare to look with affection on the flag of their fathers.

But many of these unfortunate creatures are, to all intents and purposes, *prisoners of war*, and should be so considered by our Government. Among them are many loyal Kentuckians and Virginians, who were taken prisoners while on *picket duty as Home Guards*. I was in the fort this morning when a son came in to represent to Maj.-Gen. DIX the case of his poor old father, who is at this moment one of the unhappy victims to whom I have just alluded. The General, with his usual kindness of heart, was touched at the recital, and promised to have the matter brought before the Government. God grant he may succeed in saving this unhappy old man, and others situated as he is.

A rebel spy, named T. H. FOSTER, has just been caught conveying letters from Yorktown to Richmond, and has been brought to Fortress Monroe, no doubt with the intention of being transferred to the Rip Raps.

A rumor has been prevailing here, to-day, that our rear, under MCCALL, has been attacked in crossing the Peninsula to Yorktown; but it is generally discredited. Our army was already so far advanced before it was *known* here that the rebels had not yet wakened up to a knowledge of our movement, that if they have made any attempt upon our rear it can be but a very small affair. Besides, I have just learnt, from unquestionable authority, that the Fifth New-Hampshire, which forms part of the rear-guard of SUMNER'S corps, arrived safely at Yorktown this morning.

I send you a whole batch of rebel papers to the latest date, and some of them are interesting. One article—that of the Richmond *Examiner*, of Aug. 15—has a long discussion about cotton and corn, by which you will see how completely they find themselves between two stools; afraid of starvation if they don't grow corn, and of annihilation if they don't continue to grow cotton. The *Dispatch*, of the 16th, tries to be very severe upon Col. CORCORAN, but perhaps he will manage to survive the onslaught.

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LIST OF UNITED STATES OFFICERS, RETURNED PRISONERS OF WAR, SENT TO AIKEN'S LANDING FROM RICHMOND, AUG. 18, 1862.

Crocker, John S.	Colonel 93d New-York.
Windham, Percy	Colonel 1st New-Jersey Cavalry.
Murphy, J. K.	Colonel 29th Pennsylvania.
Benedict, Lew., Jr.	Lieutenant-Colonel 73d N. Y.
Bowmans, S.	Lieutenant-Colonel 8th Penn.
Constable, R. A.	Lieutenant-Colonel 75th Ohio.
Neff, G. W., (old hostage)	Lieutenant-Colonel 2d Kentucky.
Curry, W. L.	Lieutenant-Colonel 106th Penn.
Dushane, W. T.	Lieutenant-Colonel 1st Maryland.
Clark, Thomas	Lieutenant-Colonel 29th Ohio.
Cassidy, A. S.	Major 93d New-York.
Potter, J. E., (old hostage)	Major 38th New-York.
Voustenhausen	Major 68th New-York.
Smith, George F.	Major 61st Pennsylvania.
Austin, George	Captain Co. B, 2d Kentucky.
Botticher, Otto	Captain Co. G, 68th New-York.
Bense, James	Captain Co. I, 6th Ohio.
Camp, L. G.	Captain Co. I, 68th New-York.
Downey, Jas.	Captain Co. D, 11th New-York.
Drew, J. T.	Captain Co. G, 2d Vermont.
Drake, A. A.	Capt. Co. H, 32d New-York.
Davis, A. N.	Capt. Co. D, 3d Kentucky.
Fish, R. A.	Capt. Co. E, 32d New-York.
Gordon, L.	Capt. Co. F, 11th Massachusetts.
Griffin, M.	Capt. Co. E, 8th United States.
Garvin, J. L.	Capt. United States Trans. Union.
Jenkins, E. W.	Capt. Co. F, 99th New-York.
Lee, R. H	Capt. Co. I, 6th New-Jersey.
McIon, T. B.	Capt. Co. I, 69th New-York.
O'Meara, T.	Capt. Co. F, 42d New-York.
Price, Benjamin	Capt. Co. D, 70th New-York.
Martin, Willis	Capt. Co. K, 74th New-York.
Davidson, A.	Capt. Co. F, 11th Penn. Cavalry.
Dawson, D. W.	Capt. 61st Pennsylvania.
Harris, B. F.	Capt. 25th New-York.
Baker, T. Y.	Capt. 87th New-York.
Bailey, M.	Capt. 100th New-York.
Nichols, J. H.	Capt. 96th New-York.
White, A. H.	Capt. 5th New-York Cavalry.
Dickenson, J. W.	Capt. 8th New-York Cavalry.
Millhouse, W.	Capt. 1st Vermont Cavalry.
Emmons, J. R. C.	Capt. 1st Michigan.
Bean, Geo. H.	Capt. 1st Vermont Cavalry.
Crittenden, J. D.	Capt.
Penrose, C. B.	Capt.
Von Koerber	Capt. 1st Maryland.
Clark, H. E.	Capt. 1st New-Jersey.
Rickards, W., Jr.	Capt. Co. I, 29th Pennsylvania.
Rickards, W. D.	Capt. Co. I. 29th Pennsylvania.
Kuyler, G. W.	Capt. 1st Maryland.
Schley, B. H.	Capt. 1st Maryland.
Strous, C.	Capt. 46th Pennsylvania.
Davis, W. E.	Capt. 27th Indiana.
Betts, J. A.	Capt. 5th Vermont Cavalry.
Shelmire, J. H.	Capt. 1st New-Jersey Cavalry.
Hammer, Gus.	Capt. Co. E, 3d Wisconsin.
Buxton, T. J.	Capt. 66th Ohio.
Hurlbut D. E.	Capt. 29th Ohio.
Hayes, Edward	Capt. 29th Ohio.
Smith R. B.	Capt. 29th Ohio.
Palmer G.	Capt. 66th Ohio.
Bagley, John	1st Lieut. 69th Ohio.
Baum, W. T.	1st Lieut. 26th Pennsylvania.
Chamberlain, B. L.	1st Lieut. 8th Illinois Cavalry.
Clark, W. H.	1st Lieut. 4th Maine.
Deford, J. W.	1st Lieut. Signal Corps.
Fleming, J. E.	1st Lieut. 11th Pennsylvania.
Fay, Wm.	1st Lieut. 25th New-York.
Hamblin, T. S.	1st Lieut. 38th New-York.
Harbrook, A.	1st Lieut. 5th N. Y. Cavalry.
Limbraid, H. G.	1st Lieut. 8th Illinois Cavalry.
Newstaeder, J.	1st Lieut. 8th New-York.
Swan, Timothy	1st Lieut. 7th Maine.
Tillotson, C. W.	1st Lieut. 99th New-York.
Underhill, M.	1st Lieut. 11th Pennsylvania
Walter, C.	1st Lieut. 1st Connecticut.
Wilcox, A. T.	1st Lieut. 7th Ohio.
Johnson, Geo. E.	1st Lieut. 29th Pennsylvania.
Colony, J. B.	1st Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Brevort, W. M.	1st Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Rice, E. J.	1st Lieut. 5th Connecticut.
George, W. E.	1st Lieut. 1st Marylaud.
Collier, F. M.	1st Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Bair, Jas. S.	1st Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Linton, Jas. C.	1st Lieut. 29th Pennsylvania.
Gillingham, C. R.	1st Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Gordon, B. L.	2d Lieut. 2d U. S. Artillery.
Neil, W.	1st Lieut. 29th Ohio.
Gregory, A.	1st Lieut. 29th Ohio.
Kent, J. Ford	1st Lieut. 3d U. S. Infantry.
Magnigan, J.	1st Lieut. 29th Pennsylvania.
Kilpatrick, R. L.	Capt. 5th Ohio.
Simms, H. E.	Capt. 5th Ohio.
Gardner, C. F.	1st Lieut. 100th New-York.
Herrigen, O.	1st Lieut. 7th New-York Cavalry
Kenniston, G. B.	1st Lieut. 5th Maine.
Skinner, J. H.	1st Lieut. 2d Maine.
Welsh, A. E.	1st Lieut. 1st Minnesota.
Wells, A. B.	1st Lieut. 8th Pennsylvania Cav.
Woodbury, E. B.	1st Lieut. 29th Ohio.
King, J. D.	1st Lieut. 1st Ohio Cavalry.
Coscader, Sam.	1st Lieut. 52d Pennsylvania.
McCarter, M. J.	1st Lieut. 93d Pennsylvania.
Newell, J. A.	1st Lieut. 100th New-York.
Smith, L.	1st Lieut. 96th New-York.
Dick, W. W.	1st Lieut. 5th Ohio.
Church, J. M.	2d Lieut. 2d Rhode Island.
Califf, Geo. W.	2d Lieut. 11th Massachusetts.
Faron, James	2d Lieut. 1st Kentucky.
Gilman, C.	2d Lieut. 6th Ohio.
Gannon, J. A.	2d Lieut. 69th New-York.
Ganson, B. F.	1st Lieut. 66th Ohio.
Gregg, J. C.	2d Lieut. Telegraph Corps.
Hutchinson, J. B.	2d Lieut. 15th Pennsylvania.
Irvin, Samuel	2d Lieut. 2d New-York.
Keen, Elias	2d Lieut. 5th Kentucky.
Kittridge, S. R.	2d Lieut. 2d Maine.
Kinley, W. H.	2d Lieut. 6th New-York.
Mosback, Fred.	2d Lieut. 7th New-York.
Nevin, J. J.	2d Lieut. 28th Pennsylvania.
Parker, F. A.	2d Lieut.
Schieffer, F.	2d Lieut. 6th Ohio.
Walton, S. L.	2d Lieut. 3d Kentucky.
Staunton, D. L.	2d Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Goldsmith, J. H.	2d Lieut. 20th Pennsylvania.
Neely, Robert	2d Lieut. 1st Marviand.
Albaugh, M.	2d Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Mercer, V. T.	2d Lieut. 1st Maryland.
Giddings, E.	2d Lieut. 3d Wisconsin.
Watkins, J. W.	2d Lieut. 66th Ohio.
Sampson, W. A.	2d Lieut. 66th Ohio.
Robinson, C. H.	2d Lieut. 1st Ohio Artillery.
Dempsey, M. L.	2d Lieut. 66th Ohio.
Ehardt, Aug.	2d Lieut. 54th New-York.
Leber, A.	2d Lieut. 8th New-York.
Russell, C. H.	2d Lieut. 29th Ohio.
Timmons, James (left in Richmond sick.)	2d Lieut. 5th Ohio.
Luke, A. (left in Richmond sick.)	2d Lieut. 7th Indiana.
Wilson, A.	2d Lieut. 29th Ohio.
Nash, T. H.	2d Lieut. 29th Ohio.
Fisher, R. E.	2d Lieut. 5th Ohio.
Buskirk, D. W.	2d Lieut. 27th Indiana.
Mayes, John	2d Lieut. 3d New-York Cavalry.
Croll, E.	2d Lieut. 104th Pennsylvania.
Lynch, T.	2d Lieut. 100th New-York.
Knoppel, John	2d Lieut. Co. I, 1st Maryland.
Cox, Thomas	Capt 1st Kentucky.
Thurtliff, G. W.	Capt. 7th Ohio.
Hale, E. W.	Master's Mate, U. S. Army.
Wilnius, Charles	First Lieut. 8th New-York.
Baker, C. H.	Chief Engineer U. S. Army.
Stockwell, L. S.	Assistant Paymaster U. S. Army.
Childs, O. A.	Master's Mate, U. S. Army.
Parry, J. L.	Chief Engineer transport *Union*.
Soekly, J. C.	First Assistant Engineer *Union*.
Hand, J. L.	Second Assistant Engineer *Union*.
Rankin, A. M.	Third Assistant Engineer *Union*.
Palmer, Thomas	First Officer transport *Union*.
Bradley, J. J.	Second Officer transport *Union*.
Kester, J. B.	Purser transport *Union*.
Luce, Wm.	Topographical Engineer *Union*.
Slater, J. C.	Citizen of District of Columbia.
Vernack, E.	Citizen of New-York City.
Rooper, J. G.	Sutler 1st Maryland.
Alloway, A. B.	Musician 11th Pennsylvania Cav.
King, J. R.	Private First Michigan Cavalry.

Interesting Letter from a National Officer, Lately a Prisoner.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

ON BOARD FLAG OF TRUCE BOAT STAR,
MONDAY MORNING, Aug. 18, 1862.

With hopes long deferred, yet hearts not sick, on the 10th of August we received orders to "pack up for home." This was glorious news to all, and especially to those who had spent 13 months in "Southern prisons," living on "Southern hospitality," *i. e.*, "rotten meat and musty bread." But no shouts or demonstrations of joy followed the announcement, as we had once before been ordered to prepare to go home, and only went to Richmond to be sent South again.

On Monday, the 11th, we filed out through the prison gate, and marched for the dépôt. No wagons had been provided to take the sick, so they were carried by their comrades. On arriving at the dépôt, the cars were found to be unprepared, and a delay in the hot, sun was awful to the poor, suffering, emaciated sick, and one of them fainted away several times. Dr. HALL, Surgeon of Post, asked permission to take him into the "C. S. M. Hospital," but was told by Maj. SMITH, C. S. A., "No d—d Yankee should pollute that hallowed spot." The lady in charge of the hospital remarked, also: "I'll never permit a Yankee to come here." Glorious chivalry! Generous, warm-hearted Southern lady! Alas! alas! what will the world do for examples of true charity and hospitality, when all the Southerners shall die on their "sacred soil!"

But let us not condemn them all, for even there, a noble woman was found. One came forward, and had the young man taken to her home, where she treated him with all the kindness of a mother for forty-eight hours, when he died, and she had him buried in her own garden. This is not the only generous act she has done. Often the sick and dying prisoner has blessed her for her motherly kindness, and many is the little delicacy, sent by her, that found its way to the sick in the hospital. She is not rich, save in the pure, generous impulses of a noble heart, and wherever a Salisbury prisoner may be found there will go up to Heaven a prayer for her and her noble children. A true Southern woman by heart, yet having what few of them have, a heart large enough to take in all the poor and needy of the whole world, every real gentleman and lady of North Carolina ought to be proud of one who dares to do right, in spite of the mean, cowardly clamor of those who cannot rise above the prejudices of their section.

One hundred and sixty officers and one hundred and forty privates were placed, or rather crammed, into cattle cars—two of them box-cars, the rest open. We were in charge of Lieut.-Col. JAMES, a fine soldier and gentleman.

We left behind us, with no tears of regret, the *great Col. Godwin*. This *fellow* deserves a passing remark. He was once a *gambler and pimp*, but, alas! for all human greatness, he has now *fallen* to be a *Confederate Colonel!* When one of our officers died, the request was made that the Chaplain, Rev. Mr. EDDY, be allowed to follow him to his grave. "No," said ye brave and *gallant* Colonel, "you have invaded us, and I'll show you no *honors*." That tells his history, so let him pass.

Away we started for Richmond. Smash we went into a "hand car," *spilt* six niggers and lost our "right of way;" laid up for six hours, started again, broke down the tender; spent four hours more; got hungry enough to be glad to get some *bad bacon* and *worse bread*; rode on again, and spent the remainder of the night at Raleigh. No crowds assembled as we passed along. Old men and cripples, or soldiers, were all that could be seen.

After much shaking, little sleep, great hunger and small amount of food, good appetite and bad bacon, we reached Petersburgh, Va., Tuesday, 11 o'clock P. M. Staid in the cars all night, got breakfast at a hotel in the morning, by permission of Col. JONES, for which act of humanity he was arrested. We were placed in dépôt and guarded all day, until 4 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, when we again started for Richmond.

On our arrival there we were marched to Bell Island, and kindly permitted to sleep *supperless* on the bare ground, and be marched to the Libby Prison on Thursday morning. The condition of our men on Bell Island is deplorable. Hundreds are sick. All are destitute and poorly fed.

On arriving at the Libby Prison we were provided with plenty of good beef and bread, and cots to sleep on, by the Quartermaster of the Post, Col. WARNER.

This "Old WARNER" is the *best mean* man I ever knew. A Northerner by birth, yet he affects great contempt for all Yankees; a good genial fellow at heart, yet he manages to work himself up into an abusive wretch. With no education or refinement, yet with natural tact and shrewdness enough to be the best Quartermaster I ever saw South. "Taking him all in all," he would pass for a "*smart but unprincipled Yankee*."

On Friday, the 15th, an order came for the release of Cols. WILCOX and CORCORAN, Lieut.-Col. BOWMAN and Major VOODES. Though all were glad to see these noble men go forth from their long imprisonment, yet a feeling of gloom fell on the rest as we were told it was likely that we would be left to the last, and then *paroled*. Great discussions arose as to the probability of our ever seeing the "glorious old flag again," which gave rise to the organization of the "Croakers" and "Anti-Croakers." The "Croakers" first held a meeting—Major POTTER, Thirty-eighth New-York, in the chair. He stated the object of the meeting to be "to express our feelings on the present state of affairs," giving it as his opinion we were "played out," of "no account," and were "entirely forgotten." "Do you believe it, 'Croakers?'" "Yes." "Well, then, croak like the raven." And so the croaking commenced. But soon news came that we also were to be *exchanged*, not *paroled*, and the "Anti-Croakers," under Capt. AUSTIN, held a meeting, and the "Croakers" joined in a body.

Sunday morning, the carriages which we had hired to take us to the place for exchange came up, and at 9 o'clock A. M. all the officers left the "Richmond prison," for home. We took nothing with us, as the destitute condition of our men in the hospitals caused us to leave all our clothing and money for the sick.

The dust on the road was awful, yet, on our way home, what did we care for comfort?

On coming to "AKIN'S place," we found that gentleman happy, with the "spirit in him." He swore Gen. THOMAS was a gentleman, and one of our number, by way of a joke, remarked that he thought Gen. THOMAS a regular "Sesh," which brought down AKIN'S wrath and a threat to have him cashiered. Some one then said: "Gen. THOMAS is the staunchest opposer of rebellion we have." "No," said AKIN, "he's a man of feeling." A lady, on her way North, was with us, and though specially requested to do so by several officers, this Virginia gentleman, AKIN, would not invite her to take a seat in his house, and so she sat, all day, in the hot sun, within a few rods of his door!

When the flag of truce boat *Star* came up and we could see the "good old flag we love," the enthusiasm was great.

It would have done you good to have seen the old Manassas prisoners, as they looked on that old flag, long, weary months in Southern prisons, insults and hardships, and "hope long deferred," had made them remember Liberty and its starry flag as sacred things. Left almost to the last in the vile prisons of the South, it may be, forgotten by their Government, yet they have hearts filled with the fire of patriotism and the love of home. They are generally, from long confinement, in poor health, but a short time will find them ready for the field.

We found Capt. MILLWARD, a genial, kind-hearted officer, on the boat to receive us. Capt. NICHOLS, in charge of the boat, and Dr. HARRIS on a pleasure trip; both were active in making us as comfortable as possible.

The passage down the river is pleasant and beautiful. I write now as we pass our fleet, and the cheers from every vessel ring in my ears, and our hearty cheers answer them.

At 7 o'clock P. M., Monday, we arrived at the wharf of "Old Point," and were given a sort of accommodations at the Hygeia Hotel. But I must bring this letter to a close.

I send you a list of citizen prisoners confined at Salisbury, N. C.; also those of Richmond. They are in a *perfectly destitute* condition, and sickness is fast thinning their numbers. Yours truly,

TRAXUS.

LATE NEWS FROM RICHMOND.

The Rebels Profess to Have No Knowledge of McClellan's Movements or Intentions—Wounded Prisoners from Cedar Creek—The Murder of Gen. McCook—Interesting Miscellaneous News.

We have received from our Fortress Monroe correspondent copies of the Richmond papers to Aug 16, from which we make extracts of interest.

The *Examiner*, of Aug. 16, says:

"We have no news of interest from the enemy on the south side. The Petersburgh *Express*, whose columns ror a time teemed with the very latest from City Point, and innumerable other points, now comes to us with the sad admission that 'we could learn nothing whatever of the enemy's movements on James River, yesterday.' Where is the 'intelligent free negro?' What has become or the 'man with the strong eye-glass' who used to watch the Yankees from the highest points in Prince George? Have both these invaluable reporters gone the way of 'our cavalry,' who, since the taste they obtained of the enemy's quality, have been content to snuff the Yankees from afar?"

The following is also from the *Examiner* of the 16th:

"Two hundred wounded Yankees fell into our hands at Cedar Creek, and were conveyed to Charlottesville. The majority of them are said to be too seriously wounded to warrant much expectation of recovery. There are among them a dozen or more commissioned officers. A Colonel has had a leg and an arm amputated."

The same paper, in speaking of the latest foreign news, claims the strongest sympathies of France and England.

The *Examiner* has the following regarding the events which followed the recent cowardly murder of Gen. McCOOK:

"BUELL is announced to have hung five respectable citizens of the South in retaliation for the death of his General, McCOOK. This is declared a brutal and bloody murder. Fiendish acts are declared to have been committed on the people and property happening to be in the locality of the attack on McCOOK. Gen. BUELL being known as one of the most lenient of the Yankee Generals, the fact proves that these acts of arson and hanging emanate from headquarters. They allege outrages upon widows and orphans, and upon the privacy of feelings of women, and wholesale plunder and destruction. Something must be done to put an end to this insolence, these grievous and insulting outrages. We have the subjects upon which to inflict the terrible retribution. The public mind is convinced, unless full and fierce retaliation is inflicted, this system of murder and outrage will continue to go on. How can we hold demons in awe unless we treat them as demons?"

Speaking of the election in North Carolina, the *Examiner* claims in the election of VANCE over JOHNSON 30,000 to 40,000 majority. No important principles respecting the settlement of the present war have been decided; that the platform of principles of both parties are identical.

THE CEDAR MOUNTAIN FIGHT.

OFFICIAL DISPATCH FROM GEN. JACKSON.

HEADQUARTERS, VALLEY DISTRICT, Aug. 11—6½ P. M.

COLONEL: On the evening of the 9th inst. God bleseed our arms with another victory. The battle was near Cedar Run, about six miles from Culpeper Court-house. The enemy, according to the statement of prisoners, consisted of BANKS's, McDOWELL's and SIGEL's commands. We have over four hundred prisoners, including Brig.-Gen. PRICE. While our list of killed is less than that of the enemy, yet we have to mourn the loss of some of our best officers and men. Brig.-Gen. CHARLES S. WINDER was mortally wounded while ably discharging his duty at the head of his command, which was the advance of the left wing of the army. We have collected about 1,500 small arms, and other ordnance stores.

I am, Colonel, your obd't serv't.

T. J. JACKSON, Major-General.

Col. R. H. CHILTON, A. A. G.

FROM GORDONSVILLE.

From Richmond Dispatch, 16th.

We are unable to learn anything of special interest from our lines about Gordonsville yesterday. Our latest reports, up to 12½ o'clock yesterday, represent everything quiet, with no fighting of consequence since the battle of Saturday. It is said, with some grounds of probability, that the forces under POPE are concentrating in Madison County, and will perhaps attempt a flank movement on Gen. JACKSON, while BURNSIDE, who is being heavily reinforced by McCLELLAN, advances through Culpepper and Orange.

Most of our wounded in the fight of Saturday are now at Charlottesville and Lovingston, Nelson County. Some are also in the hospitals in Lynchburgh.

From the Richmond Examiner, 15th.

It was told and believed on the streets yesterday that Gen. JACKSON had fallen back to within a mile or two of Gordonsville, where his forces were drawn up in line of battle to resist POPE, who was advancing on him with three separate heavy columns. A very little investigation was necessary to convince us that story had its origin in the fertile imagination of one of our idle citizens.

Up to a late hour last night there was no news from the lines of the Rapidan.

From gentlemen who came down from Gordonsville yesterday morning, we learn that there is as little known in that place of our army's movements as in Richmond.

MOVEMENTS ON JAMES RIVER.

From Examiner, 15th.

There are between fifteen hundred and two thousand of McCLELLAN'S command intrenched at Coggin's Point, in Prince George County, on the south side of James River. From this base of operations small marauding parties daily sally forth into the country to steal negroes, horses and cattle, and to rob hen-roosts. In the pursuit of these congenial occupations, they are undisturbed by even so much as the sight of our cavalry. They are living on the fat of the land, with no man to make them afraid.

On the north side of the James the enemy's operations are more circumscribed and innocent. They keep up, morning and evening, a mighty beating of drums, and braying of horns, which are heard by our pickets at Malvern Hill, and by the residents of the tract of country known as Curl's Neck. But for the past two days the sound of these warlike instruments has sounded more distant than previously. On Tuesday their din proceeded from Hexall's, whereas, on yesterday, "faint from further distance borne," it seemed to come from Berkeley.

But whilst the grand army is inactive, or idly parading to the music of brass bands, the fleet is on the alert. The gunboats patrol the river vigilantly between Malvern Hill and Varina, and fire upon every cloud of smoke or dust that arises above the trees. A solitary horseman riding along the dusty roads within three miles of the river is not safe from their projectiles. Our pickets occupy Malvern Hill, and are in constant danger of their shells.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

FROM YORKTOWN.

We have seen a gentleman, just returned from West Point, on York River. There were no Yankees in that neighborhood. One day last week, a gunboat had come up to West Point, from the direction of Gloucester Point, for the purpose of procuring vegetables.

GONE.

All of the Yankee officers captured on the Chickahominy left yesterday for home, *vid* Verina, one hundred and twenty-four on foot, the rest in Old Virginia chariots.

ARRIVALS FROM BALTIMORE.

A great number of young men are daily arriving in this city from Baltimore. They represent that city as under a reign of terror. The draft has spread utter consternation among all classes. Southern sympathizers are, of course, filled with horror by the prospect of being forced into the ranks; the Unionists who have been clamoring for a vigorous prosecution of the war, are casting about how to evade the draft and save their persons.

EXECUTION OF A DESERTER.

On yesterday morning the sentence of death upon MARTIN HOGAN, a deserter from RIPLEY'S Brigade, was executed in the presence of his former comrades, at their camp on the Williamsburgh road, about 2½ miles from the city. Five bullets simultaneously pierced his heart, and he fell dead without a struggle.

THE BATTLE OF SLAUGHTER MOUNTAIN.

Additional Lists of Killed and Wounded.

Casualties in Gen. Augur's Division.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CULPEPPER COURT-HOUSE, Sunday, Aug. 17, 1862.

The following is a correct summary of the numbers killed and wounded in Gen. AUGUR'S Division:

FIRST BRIGADE, COMMANDED BY GEN. GEARY.

Kerr's Cavalry—3 men missing.

Twenty-ninth Ohio—6 killed, 52 wounded, 7 missing.

Fifth Ohio—13 officers wounded; 18 men killed, 89 wounded, 2 missing.

Seventh Ohio—3 officers killed, 9 wounded; 35 men killed, 134 wounded, 39 missing.

Sixty-sixth Ohio—6 officers wounded, 1 missing; 14 men killed, 79 wounded, 3 missing.

SECOND BRIGADE, GEN. PRINCE.

One Hundred and Eleventh Pennsylvania Volunteers—1 officer missing; 7 men killed, 73 wounded, 33 missing.

One Hundred and Ninth Pennsylvania—4 officers killed, 2 wounded, 6 missing; 14 men killed, 69 wounded, 40 missing.

One Hundred and Second Pennsylvania—1 officer killed, 8 wounded, 1 missing; 11 men killed, 68 wounded, 29 missing.

Eighth and Twelfth United States Regulars—3 officers wounded, 4 missing; 10 men killed, 39 wounded, 52 missing.

Third Maryland Volunteers—3 officers wounded, 2 missing; 18 men killed, 43 wounded, 9 missing.

THIRD BRIGADE, GEN. GREEN.

First District of Columbia Volunteers—1 officer wounded; 5 men wounded, 22 missing.

Seventy eighth New-York—1 officer missing; 4 men wounded, 56 missing. [One entire company of this regiment were taken prisoners.]

Total officers killed, 9; wounded, 49; missing, 18. Men killed, 140; wounded, 676; missing, 271—making, in the aggregate, 1,168 men killed, wounded and missing.

The division entered the field with 169 commissioned officers, and 2,685 men—altogether 2,854—losing *over fifty per cent.* of its officers, and *forty per cent.* of its men.

The fighting on the right wing was done principally by infantry, and the casualties in Gen. WILLIAMS Division we were assured yesterday, by a General officer, will exceed those in Gen. AUGUR'S Division *at least fifteen per cent.* The killed in the latter division, in proportion to the numbers engaged, will also vastly exceed those in the former.

True, many of the wounds are mere flesh wounds, from which the patient will soon recover; but there is a larger proportion of serious and dangerous wounds than has heretofore been the case in the various battles in Virginia. About 30 per cent. of the wounded will either die or be rendered unfit for service hereafter. So it will easily be perceived that the battle of Cedar Mountain has been the bloodiest and most desperate of the war.

DETAILED LISTS OF CASUALTIES.

We have already published lists of the killed and wounded in the Fifth, Seventh, Twenty-ninth and Sixty-sixth Ohio Regiments, of Gen. GEARY'S Brigade, AUGUR'S Division. The following lists complete the catalogue of casualties in that brigade:

CASUALTIES IN THE THIRD MARYLAND REGIMENT, COL. DEWITT, COMMANDING.

Killed.

Michael Denhay, Co. C.	William Brickman, Co. E.
Joseph Hines, Co C.	Patrick Morrell, Co. G.
Giles Nolan, Co. C.	John Martin, Co. G.
Thomas Taylor, Co. D.	Jacob Morganthaler, Co. G.
Thomas Craft, Co. D.	James Messick, Co. G.
George Schurer, Co. E.	

Missing.

Major Kennedy.	John Farrel, Co. C.
2d Lt. S. H. Walker, Co. I.	Wm. Montague, Co. C.
1st Sergt. David Gove, Co. A.	Richard Wilkins, Co. C.
Sergt. J. Atkinhead, Co. A.	George Kerner, Co. E.
Napoleon Hull, Co. A.	George Flitch, Co. G.
Johnson J. Bowles, Co. A.	George Hordeson, Co. G.
Corp. Hewitt Harman, Co. B.	John Buch, Co. H.
William Brown, Co. B.	John Thompson, Co. K.
James Anderson, Co. C.	

Wounded.

Jerry Sconten, Co. H—leg, flesh.
Gustave Bonnett, Co. C—wounded and missing.
Sergt. Benj. Lowrey, Co. B—fracture left ilium.
Chas. Luckner, Co. B—side.
George Colbert, Co. B—in arm.
Sergt. Edward Bakeman, Co. B—wounded, and missing.
Colbert Van Kidder—Co. B—wounded, and missing.
Jacob Balch, Co. B—figer shot away.
Nicholas Ebaugh, Co. B—flesh wound in shoulder.
Edward Israel, Co. B—in back, slight.
Sergt. Frederick La Forrest, Co. C—in arm, slight.
John Heidditz, Co. C—fracture.
Jacob Zwiesly, Co. C—in thigh, slight.
Christopher Robbins, Co. C—flesh wound.
Peter Lane, Co. C—wounded three times on field, but brought off.
John Burch, Co. D—elbow.
G. W. Brown, Co. D—thigh, flesh wound.
Sylvester Nugent, Co. D—thigh, flesh wound.
M. Lauxman, Co. D—fracture of waist joint.
Wm. King, Co. D—left hand.

FROM THE REBEL STATES.

GUERRILLA MORGAN'S EXPLOITS.

An Official Report of His Raid into Kentucky.

THE WAR ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

GOSSIP FROM RICHMOND.

By way of Memphis we have received a late copy of that veracious sheet, the Grenada *Appeal*. It furnishes us the following extract:

AN OFFICIAL REPORT FROM MORGAN.

HEADQUARTERS MORGAN'S COMMAND, KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 30.

To Major-Gen. E. Kirby Smith, Commanding Department of East Tennessee:

GENERAL: I have the honor to report that, upon the day of the engagement at Tompinsville, a full report of which I have already sent you, I moved my command—consisting of my own regiment, the Georgia regiment of partisan rangers, commanded by Col. A. A. HUNT, and Major GANO's TEXAS squadron, to which was attached two companies of Tennessee cavalry—in the direction of Glasgow, which place I reached at 12 o'clock last night.

There were but few troops in the town, who fled at our approach. The commissary stores, clothing, etc., together with a large supply of medical stores, found in Glasgow, were burned, and the guns were distributed among my command—about 200 of whom were unarmed when I left Knoxville.

From Glasgow I proceeded along the main Lexington road to Barren River, halting for a time near Cave City—my object being to induce the belief that I intended destroying the railroad bridge between Bowling Green and Woodsonville. I caused wires, connecting with a portable battery that I carried with me, to be attached to the telegraph line near Horse Cave, and intercepted a number of dispatches.

At Barren River I detached three companies under Capt. JACK ALLEN, to move forward rapidly and destroy Salt River bridge, that the troops along the line of railroad might be prevented from returning to Louisville.

On the following morning I moved on towards Lebanon, distant thirty-five miles from Barren River. At 11 o'clock at night I reached the bridge over Rolling Fork, six miles from Lebanon. The enemy had received information of my approach from their spies, and my advance guard was fired upon at the bridge. After a short fight the force at the bridge was dispersed, and the planks, which had been torn up, having been replaced, the command moved forward to Lebanon. About two miles from the town a skirmish took place between two companies that I caused to dismount and deploy, and a force of the enemy posted upon the road, which was soon ended by its dispersion and capture. Lieut.-Col. A. Y. JOHNSON, commanding the troops in town, surrendered, and I entered the place. The prisoners taken, in number about sixty-five, were paroled.

I took immediate possession of the telegraph and intercepted a dispatch to Col. JOHNSON, informing him that Col. OWEN, with the Sixtieth Indiana Regiment, had been sent to his assistance; so I at once dispatched a company of Texan Rangers, under Maj. GANO, to destroy the railroad bridge on the Lebanon Branch, which he successfully accomplished in time to prevent the arrival of the troops. I burned two long buildings full of commissary stores, consisting of upwards of 500 sacks of coffee and a large amount of all other supplies in bulk, marked for the army at Cumberland Gap. I also destroyed a very large amount of clothing, boots, &c. I burned the hospital buildings, which appeared to have been recently erected and fitted up, together with about 35 wagons and 53 new ambulances. I found in the place a large store of medicines, 5,000 stand of arms with accouterments, about 2,000 sabres, and an immense quantity of ammunition, shell, etc. I distributed the best arms among my command, and loaded one wagon with them, to be given to the recruits that I expected to join me. I also loaded one wagon with ammunition. The remainder of the arms, ammunition, and the hospital and medical stores I destroyed.

While in Lebanon, I ascertained from telegraphic dispatches that I intercepted, that the force which had been started from Lebanon Junction to reinforce Lieut.-Col. JOHNSON, had met and driven back the force under Capt. JACK ALLEN, killing one of his men, and preventing him from accomplishing the purpose for which he had been detailed.

I proceeded from Lebanon on the following day through Springfield to Macksville, at which point I was attacked by Home Guards. Two of my men were taken prisoners, and one severely wounded. I remained at Macksville that night to recover the prisoners, which I did early the next morning. I then left for Harrodsburgh, capturing a Federal Captain and Lieutenant on the road; reached Harrodsburgh at 12½ o'clock, and found that the Home Guard of all that portion of country had fled to Lexington. A force was also stationed on the bridge where the Lexington road crossed the Kentucky River. My reception at this place was very encouraging. The whole population appeared to turn out and vie with each other as who should show us most attention.

I left Harrodsburgh at 6 o'clock the same evening, and moved to Lawrenceburgh, twenty miles distant, threatening Frankfort in order to draw off the troops from Georgetown. Remained there until the return of my courier from Frankfort, who brought the information that there was a force in Frankfort of two or three thousand men, consisting of Home Guards collected from the adjacent counties, and a few regular troops.

From Lawrenceburgh I proceeded to Shryke's Ferry, on the Kentucky River, raised the boat, which had been sunken, and crossed that evening, reaching Versailles at 7 o'clock. I found this place abandoned by its defenders, who had fled to Lexington; remained there that night, and on the next morning marched toward Georgetown. While at Versailles I took about three hundred Government horses and mules.

I passed through Midway on the road to Georgetown, and was informed, just before reaching the place, that a train from Frankfort was nearly due, with two regiments of Federals. I tore up the track and posted a howitzer to command it, and formed my command along the line of the road; but the train was warned of our presence, and returned to Frankfort. Having taken possession of the telegraph office, I intercepted a dispatch asking if the road was clear, and if it would be safe to start the train from Lexington. I replied to send the train, and made preparations to receive it; but it was also turned back and escaped.

I reached Georgetown, twelve miles from Lexington, that evening. Just before entering the town, I was informed that a small force of Home Guards had mustered to oppose us. I sent them word to surrender their arms, and they should not be molested, but they fled. The people of Georgetown also welcomed us with gladness, and provided my troops with everything that they needed. I remained at Georgetown two days, during which time I sent out a company under Capt. MCMILLEN to destroy the track between Midway and Lexington, and Midway and Frankfort, and to blow up the stone bridge on that road, which he successfully accomplished. Hearing that a company of Home Guards were encamped at Stamping Ground, thirteen miles distant, I dispatched a company under Capt. HAMILTON to break up the encampment, burn the tents and stores, and destroy the guns. This was also accomplished—Capt. HAMILTON taking fifteen prisoners and all their guns, and destroying a large amount of medical and commissary supplies. I also, while at Georgetown, sent Capt. CASTLEMAN, with his company, to destroy the railroad bridges between Paris and Lexington, and report to me at Winchester. This was done.

Determining to move on Paris, with a view of returning, and hearing that the place was being rapidly reinforced from Cynthiana, I deemed it of great importance to cut off the communication from that place, while I drew off the troops that were already there, by a feint on Lexington. I therefore dispatched a portion of two companies toward Lexington, with instructions to drive the pickets to the very entrance of the city, while I moved the command toward Cynthiana. When I arrived within three miles of the place I learned that it was defended by a considerable force of infantry, cavalry and artillery. I dispatched the Texas squadron, under Major GANO, to enter the town on the right, and the Georgia regiment to cross the river and get into the rear, while I moved my own regiment, with the artillery under the command of Lieut. J. E. HARRIS, down the Georgetown pike. A severe engagement took place, which lasted about an hour and a half, before the enemy were driven into the town and compelled to surrender. I took four hundred and twenty prisoners, including about seventy Home Guards. I regret to have to mention the loss of eight of my men in killed and twenty-nine wounded. The enemy's loss was ninety-four killed and wounded, according to their own account. Their excess in killed and wounded is remarkable, as they fought us from behind stone fences and fired at us from buildings as we charged through the town. We captured a very fine 12-pounder brass piece of artillery, together with a large number of small arms, and about three hundred Government horses. The arms and Government stores were burned, and as many of the horses as we could bring with us were kept. I found a very large supply of commissary and medical stores, tents, guns and ammunition at this place, which I destroyed. The paroled prisoners were sent under an escort to Falmouth, where they took the train for Cincinnati.

I proceeded next morning toward Paris, and was met on the road by a bearer of a flag of truce, offering the unconditional surrender of the place. I reached Paris at 4 o'clock, remained there that night, and started toward Winchester next morning. As my command was filing out of Paris, on the Winchester pike, I discovered a large force of Federals coming toward the town from the direction of Lexington. They immediately countermarched, supposing, no doubt, that my intention was to get into the rear. This enabled me to bring off my entire command without molestation, with the exception of two of my pickets, who were probably surprised. I reached Winchester that day at 12 o'clock, and remained until 4 o'clock, when I proceeded toward Richmond. At Winchester I found a number of arms, which were destroyed.

I arrived at Richmond at 12 o'clock that night, and remained until the next afternoon, when I proceeded to Crab Orchard. I had determined to make a stand at Richmond and await reinforcements, as the whole people appeared ready to rise and join me, but I received information that large bodies of cavalry under Gen. CLAY SMITH, and Cols. WOLSFORD, METCALF, MUNDY and WINKOOP, were endeavoring to surround me at this place. So I moved on to Crab Orchard. There I attached my portable battery to the telegraph leading from Stanford to Louisville, and learned the exact position of the enemy's forces, and directed my movements accordingly.

Leaving Crab Orchard at 11 o'clock, I arrived at Somerset, distant twenty-eight miles, at sundown. I took possession of the telegraph, and countermanded all the previous orders that had been given by Gen. BOYLE to intercept me, and remained in perfect security all night. I found a very large supply of commissary stores, clothing, blankets, shoes, hats, etc., at this place, which were destroyed. I also found the arms that had been taken from Gen. ZOLLICOFFER, together with large quantities of shell and ammunition, all of which were destroyed. I also burned at this place, and Crab Orchard, about one hundred and thirty Government wagons.

From Somerset I proceeded to Monticello, and from thence to between Livingston and Sparta, where my command is now encamped.

I left Knoxville on the 4th day of this month with about 900 men, and returned to Livingston on the 28th inst. with nearly 1,200, having been absent just 24 days, during which time I traveled over a thousand miles, captured 17 towns, destroyed all the Government supplies and arms in them, dispersed about 1,500 Home Guards, and paroled nearly 1,200 regular troops. I lost, in killed, wounded and missing, of the number that I carried into Kentucky, about 90.

I take great pleasure in testifying to the gallant bravery and efficiency of my whole command. There were individual instances of daring so conspicuous that I must beg the privilege of referring to them. Private MOORE, of Louisiana, a member of Company A, of my regiment, particularly distinguished himself in leading a charge at Cynthiana, which had an important effect in winning the battle. The reports of the regimental commanders, which are inclosed, are respectfully referred to for further instances of individual bravery and efficiency. I feel indebted to all my aids for the promptness with which my orders were executed, and particularly to Col. ST. LEGER GRENFEL, for the assistance which his experience afforded me.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. MORGAN,
Acting Brigadier-General, C. S. A.

R. A. ALSTON, A. A. G.

FROM RICHMOND.

Mr. JOHN R. THOMPSON, "Dixie," writes from Richmond under date of July 31:

"There is an unusual activity in military matters just now. Yesterday a long train of artillery, numbering more than fifty pieces with their caissons, passed up Main-street, attracting great attention, for each battery had signalized itself in the recent battles before the city, and several of them carried along with their own guns the beautiful Parrots, Dahlgrens and howitzers captured from the enemy. It is not necessary to say which direction this artillery brigade took in leaving the town. To-day we have had some cavalry regiments and a considerable infantry force on the march for other scenes of action. The signs are that renewed fighting will occur before August is a week old.

It is generally believed that McCLELLAN is moving off his entire force from that charming and most eligible position at Berkeley, which the correspondents of the Northern Press thought so capital a *point d'appui*, and where Rev. Dr. FRANCIS VINTON declared he was nearer to Richmond than he had been at any previous time. The suns of July have done their work with his troops. Ague and fever, bilious and typhoid, and all varieties of febrile complaints, except Yellow Jack, have prevailed among them to an alarming extent, and even the Government at Washington, that soulless and merciless body of tyrants, has become frightened at the disappearance of McCLELLAN'S thousands. LINCOLN might well say that he could not account for the astonishing falling off in the numbers under the young NAPOLEON'S command. So that McCLELLAN has determined upon another 'change in his base line.' At least such is believed to be the fact in Richmond.

Already a large number of transports have gone down on James River, and more are reported daily as on their way. Their destination is doubtless Fredericksburgh, where they will reinforce Gen. POPE. In a few days McCLELLAN will probably go to take the command of the entire body in person, and make his third attempt to get to Richmond from this new line of approach. We may therefore expect a conflict upon a grand scale ere long, somewhere on the confines of Caroline and Hanover Counties. If repulsed there, as we have every confidence the Yankees will be, nothing more can be done by them until the fresh three hundred thousand volunteers or conscripts of the North are ready for the field.

No little dissatisfaction is expressed that in the cartel for the exchange of prisoners no provision has been made for the liberation of the non-combatant Confederate citizens who have been seized by the officers of the United States Government, and carried off to pine in Yankee dungeons. By the terms of the cartel, citizens can only be exchanged for citizens, and in the very nature of the case, we cannot have anything like an equal number of such prisoners with the Yankees. The only non-combatants among the enemy likely to fall into our hands are the teamsters, sutlers, chaplains, camp followers, &c., &c., that we may chance to take upon a battlefield, with now and then some imprudent and adventurous member of Congress like Mr. ELY, and but one other class remains to be considered as subjects for exchange with our captured citizens, and this class is composed of the traitorous Virginians, Tennesseeans and Kentuckians who uphold LINCOLN'S despotic authority. But heretofore it has not been our custom, upon entering disloyal districts of the Confederate States, to arrest peaceable and unoffending citizens in their beds, and we have no considerable number of persons of the disloyal class to give up for our own brave and unfortunate brethren who have been imprisoned by ANDY JOHNSON, Gen. LEW. WALLACE, Gen. BUTLER, Gen. POPE, and the other minions of the despot at Washington. So that Messrs. SOULE and MAZUREAN must bide their time; the Nashville clergymen, who feared God and did *not* fear ANDY JOHNSON, must languish in indefinite confinement; and the six prominent gentlemen of Fredericksburgh, who were hurried off at midnight last week, cannot expect to see home or family till the end of the war; while hundreds of others in *simili casu*, who have already sickened of the heartless cruelty of the North, must yet longer bear it as best they may. The matter is involved in some difficulty, it is true, for if soldiers and officers could be demanded by the Yankees in exchange for citizens, LINCOLN would order at once the arrest of the whole population of New-Orleans, Memphis, Nashville, Norfolk, and parts of rural Virginia, now in possession of his troops, to be kept for exchange for the next ten or twenty thousand soldiers taken prisoner by LEE, JACKSON, PRICE, VAN DORN, MORGAN or STUART. Still it does seem a hardship that nothing can be done for these unhappy innocent victims of Northern hatred. As for the members of the Maryland Legislature, and the eminent citizens of Baltimore, who have so long borne with brave hearts and unflinching resolution the imprisonment in Fort Warren, we can only say, all honor to the faithful and true men who keep their loyalty and love and zeal unchilled by the coldness of the Northern dungeon. Whatever fate may betide Maryland, they shall not be forgotten by the South.

An amusing illustration of the manner in which the Yankee Government is swindled by its contractors has been afforded in the bombardment of Vicksburgh. The officers of the ram *Arkansas* have sent to the Secretary of the Navy handfuls of glass marbles, such as the boys call 'alleys,' or 'alley taws,' which were thrown out from the Yankee shells, upon the deck of that vessel, and which can be picked up, doubtless, anywhere in the streets of the city. The contractor had bargained to supply shells loaded with iron grape-shot or leaden bullets, but finding glass the cheaper material, by half, he patriotically charged his projectiles with the vitreous sphere, which are nothing like so deadly in their effect, by reason of wanting the momentum acquired by the heavier article. Perhaps the contractor was a Southern sympathizer, on the sly, and purposely made his shells as little mischievous as possible, *this being in the interest of his pocket.*

The number of these Southern sympathizers in the North is evidently on the increase. Another series of such victories as those gained by JACKSON in the Valley, another excursion of JACK MORGAN into Kentucky, another such change of his base line as that effected by McCLELLAN five weeks ago, will inaugurate a considerable peace party in Yankeedom, of which it is just as likely as not that the New-York *Herald* will be the organ. Last year, such an article as that recently published in the Newark (N. J.) *Journal* would not have been tolerated by the mob, nor by the Cabinet. The *Exchange*, of Baltimore, nor the *Daily News* of New-York, both suppressed by SEWARD, never spoke out more boldly the language of common sense and real patriotism. Last year, such a speech as that lately made in the treason case of the GORDONS in Boston, would have secured for the maker of it lodgings in Fort Warren. Mr. SENNOT, who uttered this speech, was once in high favor with the Abolitionists. He came to Richmond as their paid attorney to advocate the cause of JOHN BROWN before the Legislature of Virginia, was respectfully heard at the bar of the Senate, and returned to get his fee. But he had the boldness, after reaching Boston, to publish a card declaring that the utmost freedom of speech was tolerated in Virginia, the defamers of the State to the contrary notwithstanding, and that he had been treated with a courtesy which he should not forget, and this lowered Mr. SENNOT very much in the opinion of the "friends of freedom." His speech in the GORDON case is significant of a growing discontent with the war at the North. Let us be true to ourselves, let us relax no efforts in our struggle for independence, and we shall ere long secure it without foreign intervention.

If any one desires to see the freedom of the Press carried to the furthest extreme, and the Confederate States vindicated from any design to trample down the bulwarks of free Government, let him read the leader in the Richmond *Examiner* of this morning, where President DAVIS is attacked in terms as bitter, unsparing and denunciatory as the dictionary can furnish.

WAR ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

From the Grenada Appeal, Aug 9.

A highly intelligent gentleman, a planter on the Mississippi River, yesterday informed us that within the last three weeks nearly, if not quite, $1,000,000 worth of negroes have been taken by the Yankees or enticed off by them, from the Counties of Tunica and Coahoma. Most of this could have been saved by a single battalion of cavalry, operating along or near the river.

The Yankees have also secured about fifteen hundred bales of cotton in that section, and are now making their way down to Bolivar County, having reached the vicinity of Huspuckana, near Sunflower Landing. Near this locality they were met, on Saturday last, by the Bolivar Troop, a company of the First Regiment Mississippi Cavalry, which had been on a visit to Bolivar County, under command of Lieut.-Col. MONTGOMERY, and which was at the time on its way back to headquarters.

This troop reached the vicinity of Sunflower Landing on Friday night, and hearing that the Yankees were at T. H. MCNEIL'S, engaged in hauling off his cotton, Col. MONTGOMERY formed an ambuscade early Saturday morning, but the Yankees had already gone off with the last cotton about daylight, carrying with them thirty-five of Mr. MCNEIL'S negroes. Col. MONTGOMERY then fell back about two miles to Judge TOTTEN'S place, setting fire to the cotton there, and detailing men to burn the cotton at other places in that neighborhood. Late in the afternoon, the approach of the Yankees toward Judge TOTTEN'S was made known by the firing of our pickets posted about a mile up the road. The pickets fell back slowly, Col. MONTGOMERY, meanwhile, awaiting near Judge TOTTEN'S dwelling, in readiness to receive the enemy—the whole troop, however, falling back as the enemy advanced, to a position a half mile in the rear, in a skirt of woods, between Judge TOTTEN'S and Col. FORREST'S. Here a stand was made, and the Yankees, though numbering at least two hundred and fifty men, (this being the number stationed for two days at Mr. MCNEIL'S,) retreated in haste, burning Judge T.'s dwelling-house and gin, and taking off *all* his negroes then on the place, forty or fifty in number.

None of our men were hurt in this skirmish. The injury to the enemy is not known, except from the report of one of Judge TOTTEN'S negroes, who left the Yankees and came home after a day's absence. He reports that he had seen several wounded—did not know whether any had been killed or not, nor whether he saw all the wounded. Stains of blood were, however, afterwards found by our men on the battlefield. On the Monday after this skirmish, the Yankees were ascertained to be in force at Mr. DANDALE'S place, superintending the ginning of his cotton. Col. MONTGOMERY arranged a surprise, which proved most successful. A dash was made upon them; about twenty were killed and wounded and three prisoners brought off. It was thought there would be another fight on Tuesday, the day our informant left. But it is impossible for Col. MONTGOMERY and his small force gallant as they are, to hold them in check long—even with the assistance of the Bolivar and Coahoma guerrillas, about one hundred of whom have joined them. The people of those counties need aid—not one particle has yet been sent. The Bolivar troop, as is understood, was there accidentally. As it is, the Yankees have it pretty much their own way. The people are flying from their homes—some stopping in remote places in the cane, others continuing to the hills.

Cannot our military authorities furnish the people on the river some assistance?

A SOUTHERN LOCOMOTIVE.

From the Atlanta (Ga.) Intelligencer.

The mechanical enterprise and skill of the Macon and Western Railroad repair shop at Macon, we had gratifying evidence of, a day or two ago, in seeing the handsome locomotive *Victory* on one of the railroad tracks near the dépôt in this city, proudly challenging, as it were, the critical examination of our experienced machinists, while it was commanding the admiration of our citizens; for though they, as well as ourselves, have seen more powerful engines, none have seen more bright, or a more beautiful "machine." We learn that the work on this was commenced about eight months ago; that it was done in the Macon and Western Railroad repair shop; and that, with the exception of the bell, safety balance, steam gauge, and water gauge, it was completed in that shop; these, too, would have been made there, but for the fact that they were already on hand. We also learn that the brass mountings of the engine were cast at the foundry of the shop in Macon, by a Macon male mechanic. All this is highly creditable to the machinists of the shop, where the *Victory* was constructed, for, if we are correctly advised, and we believe we are, there is no locomotive shop in America that does all the work, or finishes all the material, of a locomotive—the brass mountings, wheels, axles, etc., being all purchased for their machines.

The *Victory* weighs 23 tons, and cost a little over $8,000. She is now being run by Engineer JOE HARTMAN, and was constructed under the supervision of Mr. E. CROCKETT, the master machinist of the shop.

We see in this evidence that the South can go on and build her locomotives. She possesses both the mechanical skill and ability to do so. If she will only be energetic and persevere she will achieve another *victory* over the North as important in its results as *victories* won upon the battle-field. The machinists of Macon have shown what they can do. Those of Atlanta have already demonstrated their ability to turn out work of the same description. Savannah, if she has not already done so, can with her machinists do the same. Let us then have no more Yankee locomotives after this revolution is ended and our independence won, but let us construct them at home, in Georgia, and thus achieve a victory in mechanics over the world, and especially over the North.

"OUR NAVY."

The Richmond correspondent of the Charleston *Mercury* says:

"Our navy lifts its head again. We hear of sundry iron-clads at Southern ports in a state of forwardness." The *Arkansas* remains quiet, because of repairs and the necessity of getting a new crew—that which manned her on her way down being only a temporary crew. May be so; but it is the rule, I believe, for every Confederate vessel and army to keep profoundly quiet for from one to nine months after a fight. A good story is told in this connection about Mr. MALLORY. He was showing a sharp letter he had written in regard to the early completion of a ship, and telling plaintively of a number of such letters he had written before to the same firm. The gentleman to whom he showed the letter said, quietly, 'D—n it, man, quit writing and go down and cuss 'em, cuss 'em. They care nothing for your writing—cuss 'em, cuss 'em.'"

THE BATTLES.

The Richmond correspondent of the Charleston *Mercury*, writes:

"Mr. CROCKER, Superintendent of the Army Intelligence Office, states that his books show between 11,000 and 12,000 wounded in the battles before Richmond, and thinks the whole number, including those in private houses not reported to him, will be about 12,500. Gen. LEE, I am told, estimates the killed at 3,500. To these must be added a great many who were disabled by exhaustion, want of food and bad water, so that the sum total would amount, perhaps, to 18,000 or 20,000. The percentage of deaths among the wounded has been heavy, owing to the hot weather. I have heard it put at 80 per cent., but this is foolish. No case of amputation above the knee is said to have recovered, but this also I doubt."

ENFORCING THE CONSCRIPTION.

The following order, issued by the post-commander of a school of instruction, of which there are a number in Mississippi, shows how the Confederates are enforcing the conscription:

JACKSON, Miss., July 25.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 1.—Having been assigned to the command of a camp of instruction located at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, Miss., it is ordered that all persons not exempt from enrollment for service in the armies of the Confederate States, between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five, residing in the following counties, (here follows a list of thirty-eight counties comprising the district belonging to this camp,) report in person on the first Monday in August, 1862, at said camp.

No exemptions will be allowed except on the certificates of physicians holding commissions as Surgeons of the C. S. Army. Persons holding such certificates will report themselves at the camp, said certificates being subject to the approval of the commander.

All refugees or citizens belonging to the Confederacy, and in possession of the enemy, who now are, or may come within the limits of the above-named counties, are included in the above order.

All persons failing to comply with the above order will be arrested and treated as deserters.

Each person will bring with him one blanket or quilt, a tin cup and plate, and from three to five days' rations, according to the distance from the camp.

Transportation on the different railroads will be furnished on application to the conductors.

By order of the Secretary of War,

M. R. CLARK, Major and A. A. G.

VICKSBURGH.

From the Vicksburgh Whig, Aug. 6.

Our city is beginning to exhibit signs of actual life again. The people are flocking back to their homes, stores are being opened, and the pulsations of business have gained a fresh impetus. The houses which were struck by the enemy's shells are being repaired, the streets and sidewalks that were torn up are being made passable, drays and wagons of every description throng our thoroughfares from "early morn till dewy eve," and altogether Vicksburgh presents a busy, bustling appearance. Hotels and restaurants are preparing to reopen, bankers are brushing off the counters for business, and soon we expect to be able to tell our readers that the long "beleaguered city" is herself again.

SUBSTITUTES.

A SUBSTITUTE.—I will serve as a substitute in the Confederate service for $2,500. or in the Militia for $1,500. For further information apply to THOMAS ALLEN, Dépôt Agent at Duck Hill.

WANTED.—Any one wishing to act as a substitute for a man subject to the Conscript Act, will receive the following compensation: a likely negro boy and Five Hundred dollars. Address B., *Appeal* Office.

CAUGHT.

From the Grenada Appeal.

We are much gratified to learn that a notorious individual, a planter on the river, by the name of PENTOLOOK POWELL, who has been hob-nobbing with the Federals since their arrival at Helena, has fallen into the hands of our military authorities, and will be dealt with according to his deserts.

AFFAIRS AT FORTRESS MONROE.

Crowds at Old Point—Another Stampede Among the Sutlers—The Adirondack Gone—Commander T. H. Stevens, of the Monitor—Great Secesh Demonstration at Norfolk—Col. E. D. Cross, of the Fifth New-Hampshire.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OLD POINT, Monday, Aug. 18, 1862.

Old Point is literally swarming once more with people—military and civilian—the Hygeia Hotel presenting at night the most ludicrous and comfortless appearance, with mattresses strewed so thickly along all the corridors and passages, that one has to engineer his way to bed, among heads and upturned faces, as carefully as a cat feels its way among the brittle things on a crockery shelf.

The greatest proportion of the crowd is military, and such a blazing exhibition of shoulder-straps—of all colors of the rainbow—perhaps Old Point never beheld before. Where they come from, whither bound, and what officers command them, are facts that I do not intend to make public here, even at this late hour, and in spite of the example of other correspondents—simply, because, in doing so, it is quite impossible to conceive the amount of mischief that may even *yet* be perpetrated.

Among the crowds here are any quantity of army sutlers, veritable stormy petrels, who are sure to be found wherever a tempest is brewing. They can find no resting-place here, however, for the moment they arrive the authorities are at them, and an order was again read yesterday, warning off all "civilians" from Old Point, which will, no doubt, bring about an immediate stampede.

The *Adirondack*—United States war-steamer—left us yesterday, under sealed orders. Where she is bound to is, therefore, matter of conjecture; but one thing certain is, that the rebel pirates had better keep clear of Capt. GANSEVOORT, and his brave officers and crew. The slipping of the *Herald* through their fingers at Nassau has not only nettled them but roused their appetite, and if they only managed to come "athwart hawse" a rebel craft, let her look out.

While talking of salt-water matters, I am happy to announce that Lieut.-Commander T. H. STEVENS, late of the gunboat *Maratanzas*, and formerly of the *Ottawa*—Commodore DUPONT'S South-Atlantic Squadron—has just been made commander of the *Monitor*. Promotion never fell upon more worthy shoulders. Commander STEVENS is the very model of a sailor—as brave and loyal as he is affable and unassuming. It is only to be hoped that his superiors will soon be induced to put him at some kind of daring and dashing work that will enable him to do good for his country while distinguishing himself; and I speak by the book when I say that the lion-hearted commander is only longing for such an opportunity. Lieut. JEFFERS, of the *Monitor*, resigned in ill-health.

An event took place at Norfolk yesterday, which many may choose to look upon indifferently, but which all loyal people here regret exceedingly. The Secessionists of Norfolk, who, beyond all question, have been every day becoming more rampant and defiant during the last two or three months, had a grand opportunity yesterday for exhibiting the intensity of their feelings and open sympathy for our enemies.

It was on the occasion of the burial of a private, named DOUGHTERY, of the Third Alabama Regiment. The funeral ceremony took place at the Church of St. Paul's, where Rev. OKERSON officiated, amid a great crowd, chiefly of women, and the body was afterwards conducted to the cemetery, attended by a large concourse of people. It is stated—I know not how truly—that a prominent rebel citizen, having seen Gen. VIELE on the subject previously, the latter consented, provided no more than fifty were present. But, instead of fifty, a large concourse of people were collected from the towns of Norfolk and Suffolk, and numbering, at the least estimate, between five and six hundred. The men followed the corpse, and the women lined the sidewalks. The coffin was completely covered with wreaths of flowers, and, at the grave, the ladies standing by threw bouquets in showers over the heads of the people.

Now, anywhere else and under any other circumstances, God forbid that I should utter one word against this feeling of respect shown to the dead; but when we consider the position in which Norfolk stands toward the Union at this moment, and the utter contempt they have ever shown toward Unionists and the Administration of the United States, it does seem to me—and it will be odd if the public do not think so too—that the ends of humanity could have been obtained with much less ostentatien and open insult to the duly constituted authorities. Gen. VIELE had ordered that the secesh flag should not be publicly displayed on the occasion; but the *secesh flag was used*, though covertly insinuated among wreaths of flowers.

This is the third time within one month—but never before on so large a scale—that a similar exhibition has taken place. That such displays—no matter how good or humane the intent—have the effect of encouraging disloyalty and crushing out entirely whatever Union feeling is existing no man in his senses can doubt; and I am informed by parties well acquainted with Norfolk, and on whose word I can rely, that in that large crowd were many *Unionists*, drawn there, because on such an occasion to have remained away would *have made them marked men, perhaps doomed ones, in the event of the rebels ever returning.* Such latitude may be all very right in the eyes of what some people call "conservatism," but conservatives among us would do well to put this question to themselves: Had a Union private died in Richmond would the authorities there have permitted the Unionists of that city to make any such display at his grave? If not, why this difference? What right (the people indignantly ask) have our public servants to be constantly showering kindnesses and benefits upon disloyal people, who return them only with hatred and contempt, and deny the same advantages to us?

The strange vicissitudes of war have just brought me in contact with an old member of the Cincinnati and New-York Press, (the *Times* of both those cities,) Col. E. D. CROSS, of the Fifth New-Hampshire, which gallantly bore the brunt of the battle at Fair Oaks. The Colonel was badly wounded in the thigh, had to return home, and is now on his way to rejoin his regiment. His numerous friends both in New-York and Cincinnati will be glad to hear that, with the exception of a lingering pain from his wound, the Colonel is quite well, and ready for fresh work.

NEMO.

Drafting Negroes.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The editorial in the TIMES of yesterday, headed "Negro Brigades through a Needle's Eye," appears to me to be neither fair nor well founded in facts. Instead of Gov. ANDREW having overstrained a point or taken advantage of some verbal inaccuracy, as I understand the matter, he has done only what it was plainly his imperative duty to do, and the duty also of the Governor of every other State to do, and what it was furthermore the imperative duty of the President to require them to do.

In saying this, I assume that the reports which I have seen of the law passed at the last session of Congress, under which this draft must be made, are correct, if not, I may be mistaken; but the law as I have read it expressly declares that "the enrollment of the Militia shall *in all cases include all able-bodied male citizens* between the ages of eighteen and forty-five." The word "white" is not inserted, nor omitted, I apprehend, by mistake, but purposely. And citizens of eighteen does not mean voters even, but must be understood in the liberal sense of subjects of the Government whom it may lawfully command.

Has not then every man who is liable to be drafted a right to demand of President LINCOLN, in the name of justice and of law, that the enrollment shall include colored subjects or citizens as well as white? Is there any way for him to avoid this without being grossly recreant to law and duty unless he is ready to indorse the sham Dred Scott decision and deny that a colored man, a negro, if you please, can be a citizen of this nation, although the foundation of its Government and Constitution is the legal equality of all its subjects.

But is President LINCOLN willing to thus stultify himself and deny his former doctrines. Will he stand up boldly, face to face, before the people of this land, and take that Pro-Slavery decision as authority and law? Will he assert with WICKLIFFE and the like that this is "white man's land," and that negroes under the Constitution can be neither "citizens" nor even "people?" Will he maintain that the colored citizens of Rhode Island, or of any other State, are not also citizens of the Union?

I can conceive that a citizen of the United States, under some circumstances, might not be a citizen of any State in such wise as to be entitled to vote in purely State matters, but it is absurd, to my mind, to say that a man may be a citizen of a State, and yet not of the nation. And surely a person who would be a citizen with a white skin, will be a citizen, for the purposes of this act, whatever may be the color of his skin. A law making an alien a citizen of a State, under conditions precluding or omitting his national citizenship, must be unconstitutional. The assumption that men of African descent are not equal in law to others, and cannot be citizens under our national Constitution, and the attempt, in the Dred Scott case, to foist this doctrine into the law of the land as an irrepealable interpretation, is a part, and no unimportant part, of the Pro-Slavery abominations and encroachments which called the Republican party into existence, and in the conflict led to the election of President LINCOLN on the one hand as leader, and to the rebellion under JEFF. DAVIS, as leader on the other.

I ask, then, is our Republican President ready to assert that a negro in whose case every condition entitles him to full national citizenship, except his color or the quality of his blood, cannot get over this disability or be a citizen, and possess a citizen's privileges and rights. If not, can he nullify this positive law, or avoid enrolling the colored citizens for the coming draft?

As a citizen, I demand the faithful execution of that law. I am tired and ashamed of the national injustice towards the blacks which is constantly practiced and boldly advocated. No thinking man, I apprehend, can in his conscience and in truth believe that an exclusion of men otherwise qualified, from citizenship, simply on account of color, is either just, or noble, or constitutional. Nor do such men in sincere truth believe that the State laws, of late so common, excluding negroes and imposing various disabilities and privations on account of color, are constitutional, or of any legal validity at all. These States think it expedient for them, and so determine to have it treated as constitutional. But all these wrongs and base violations of our Constitution must be done away before we shall stand as a nation upon safe and immovable ground. It is in vain to take these lies in our right hand, to attempt to put them as true stones in our building—we must sooner or later renounce them, or truth and right will renounce us. So long as this wrong to the whole colored race continues to be the prevailing practice of the nation, so long, I feel assured, will the displeasure and the pursuing and fierce judgments of God rest upon us.

Z. B.

AMHERST, Mass., Aug. 15, 1862.

LOYALTY IN OLD PUTNAM.

Enthusiastic Meeting at Lake Mahopac—Address by Rev. Henry Ward Beecher and Others.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

LAKE MAHOPAC, Tuesday, Aug. 19, 1862.

On Saturday last an enthusiastic war meeting, to aid recruiting, was held in Pine Grove, on the margin of the lake, near the principal hotels, which are this season crowded with guests. Throughout this county of Putnam there are many old Democrats who growl about the Republicans causing the war, and who say the Republicans should put it down, and all that sort of gammon, which acts as a wet blanket on the enlistments of the young and patriotic. This class has been sustained to some extent by a few of the Summer sojourners, who, with shrugs and winks, give out the idea that those who entertain such sentiments are not far wrong—not open sympathizers with rebellion, you will perceive, but those who, having scraped together a "few thousands," and who assume a "loud manner" in consequence—who are passive, inactive—who support Fourth-avenue clergymen of doubtful loyalty—who, when a war meeting is held, suddenly recollect sweet spots in which to have a picnic—who defer their return until such meeting is over—who fail to lend the aid of their presence to a gathering of the people—who, with lofty air, in hotel drawing-rooms, pronounce such gatherings "vulgar, you know," and wonder at the taste that indulges in "that sort of thing"—who are on Union Committees in town but not in the country.

We have among us many loyal gentlemen, earnest men, who fight the battles of the Republic socially, and who are ready when the draft calls to enter the ranks and do so physically. Well, these true men, sustained and abetted by sympathetic women, assisted by Mr. FERRIS, a young clergyman, stationed at the lake, were the principal getters up of the meeting in this part of "Old Put." The meeting showed how responsive the heart of the people beats to the air of the Union when beyond the influence of the "croakers"—how cheerfully they enroll themselves for the suppression of this most infamous rebellion.

The meeting was opened with a prayer, followed by a capital speech, effectually delivered by Rev. Mr. FERRIS. Songs of a patriotic character were sung, and cheers given for "ABRAM," McCLELLAN and the Union.

The organization was perfected by the selection of the following gentlemen as officers: President, LEONARD D. CLIFT; Vice-Presidents, Lambert Suydam, John Bridge, Josiah O. Low, Adam W. Spies, Chauncey R. Weeks, Ambrose Ryder, George Luddington, Sarton Smith, Franklin Hyatt; Secretaries, William H. Lee, Walter T. Hatch, Wm. H. Scott, Pierre Humbert, John G. Miller; Treasurer, Lewis Ballard.

HENRY WARD BEECHER'S SPEECH.

Mr. BEECHER was then introduced, and said:

I am glad to be called here, to-day, fellow-citizens, to attend a meeting of the people—meetings more powerful than legislatures or Congress—glad to think that such meetings are taking place in every town and hamlet throughout our loyal land, and that the heart of the people are in these gatherings. For my part, whenever, as now, I find myself in the midst of such a one, I have an ideal of what I should wish it to be—what our brave boys on the Potomac would wish to have it—an honest uprising of the people in their might and indignation. As you know, every State has given, and has given freely, the young and active, our sons and brothers, and

THE SICK AND WOUNDED SOLDIERS.

Names of those Brought by the Steamer Atlantic.

The following are the names of the sick and wounded soldiers who arrived here yesterday by the *Atlantic*:

P Fegant, Co K, 70th N Y.
J Connolly, Co I, 70th N Y.
J Nichols, Co I, 70th N Y.
T Ward, Co I, 70th N Y.
Corp J Hancock, Co I, 70th New-York.
G W Hammond, Col, 70th N Y.
T Powers, Co D, 70th N Y.
W Whitehead, Co I, 70th N Y.
D Loman, Co I, 70th N Y.
J Brand, Co D, 70th N Y
P Ratser, Co I, 2d N J.
Jo White, Co H, 6th Vermont.
Corp A J Butler, Co H, 6th Vermont.
T W Gould, Co H, 6th Vt.
W H Fulmer, CoD, 85th Pa.
J A Beam, Co D, 4th Ohio.
W H Straw, Co I, 6th Vt.
Corp Adam Metzger, Co H, 10ist New-York.
Chas Smith, Co B, 7th Mich.
A Spicer, Co I, 106th Pa.
R Allen, Co D, 1st Minnesota.
S Bishop, Co I, 6th Vermont.
N A Monroe, Co K, 7th Me.
J H Chase, Co K, 7th Me.
M McBride, Co K, 70th N Y.
S Storm, Co F, 1st Mass.
M Flanby, Co K, 73d N Y.
C Judds, Co F, 2d N Y.
Sergt J Walker, Co C, 72d Penn.
C Richards, Co D, 4th Vt.
D Powell, Co K, 82d N Y
J Hawkhurst, Co K, 82d NY
H Caston, Co B, 1st Cal.
G W. Nichols, Co E, 16th Massachusetts.
B Mackie, Co C, 1st N Y C.
J Lyons, Co C, 7th Me.
P Armacker, Co G, 74th N Y.
J Connolly, Co G, 4th N. J.
Sergt W Burgen, Co I, 73d New-York.
J Daly, Co A, 2d Delaware
T Curly, Co C, 42d N. Y.
B McLawlin, And. S S, 15th Massachusetts.
J Daly, Co K, 7th Maine.
J Corcoran, Co K, 7th Me.
O Fetchale, Co C, 31st N Y
J Williams, CoG, 11th Mass.
J S Craig, Co E, 1st Mass.
Sergt J Clark, Co K, 1st Massachusetts.
A Winters, Co I, 5th Mich.
W Clark, Co B, 15th Mass.
O Smith, Co H, 57th N Y.
J C Carlton, Co B, 73d N Y.
J Bushron, Co D, 7th Mich.
G Laraly, Co H, 19th Mass.
1st Serg N O Tooker, Co A, 2d New-Jersey.
J Oalkins, Co K, 57th Penn.
D P Corser, Co B, 6th Vt.
C D Stevens, Co B, 6th Vt.
Wm Davis, Co C, 6th Vt.
Corp N McMulligan, Co F, 69th Pennsylvania.
A Butler, Co C, 85th Pa. Cav.
Lieut D G Whiting, 2d Mich.
J Dugan, Co F, 29th Mass.
J McCarty, Co F, 29th Mass.
S T Stowell, Co F, 29th Mass.
Geo Clark, Co K, 93d N Y.
Corp Thos Hunter, Co E, 71st New-York.
Chas Smith, Co B, 7th Mich.
A Spicer, Co I, 106th Pa.
R Allen, Co D, 1st Minnesota
S Bishop, Co I, 6th Vermont.
N A Monroe

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

The Army of the Potomac, as will be seen by our correspondence, has all arrived in the vicinity of Fortress Monroe, and at last accounts was making rapid preparations for departure to its new field of operations—wherever that may be. In connection with this announcement we give the following, from the Hartford *Post* of yesterday, for what it is worth: "We have private but direct and reliable information that Gen. MCCLELLAN will resign the command of the Army of the Potomac as soon as the new change of position is effected. The visit of the President to the Peninsula, soon after the battle-week, is said to have had connection with this event."

According to the Cincinnati *Commercial*, the rebels are advancing in Kentucky with startling rapidity. It is evident that inroads are being made into that State vastly more important than the MORGAN raid. A dispatch from Lexington says 3,000 rebel cavalry were on Monday night within 25 miles of that city. The official dispatches also show that the danger is imminent.

A rumor prevails at Nashville that Chattanooga, Tenn., has been evacuated by the rebels, who are making movements toward Knoxville and Richmond. There is reported to be great activity at Nashville in military affairs, and troops are arriving rapidly.

The Government, in accordance with the recommendation of Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON, it is understood has determined to return to the Consul of the Netherlands at New-Orleans the $800,000 seized by Gen. BUTLER; also the $716,000 taken from the French Consul. It is also decided to relinquish a large amount of sugar and other merchandise taken from Greek, British and other foreign merchants, subject to the decision of the Government.

There is believed to be no sufficient foundation for the rumor that Gen. BUTLER is to be superseded at New-Orleans by Gen. DIX, and that Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON is to be made Provisional Governor of Louisiana.

A cavalry expedition from New-Madrid, Mo., a day or two ago, attacked a rebel camp on White Oak Ridge, and broke it up. Four of the enemy were killed and nineteen taken prisoners, including three Captains. Twenty-seven horses were also captured, and about a hundred stand of arms.

The Washington *Star* furnishes the following explanation of the reason why Gen. BANKS was not reinforced during the battle of Cedar Mountain: "Gen. BANKS did not dream that he was contending with an enemy in force equal to his own. At 5½ P. M. he sent a dispatch, to the effect that he was driving the enemy before him. At 6 P. M., when his troops essayed their terrific charge upon the rebel batteries, their infantry response from the cover of woods and thick underbrush first revealed their overwhelming strength to Gen. BANKS, who then dispatched a messenger to the rear to notify Gen Pope of the fact. Then it was that RICKETTS was ordered to push forward with all possible rapidity to his assistance. The truth is, Gen. MCDOWELL'S corps was in the best possible position to serve any emergency, and would have been in the fight beyond peradventure, had the enemy not contrived to conceal from Gen. BANKS and his whole *corps d'armée* his real strength, until an hour too late to permit RICKETTS to be ordered up in time to arrive on the field before nightfall put an end to the engagement for the time being. None others than the officers actually engaged in the front could possibly know the necessity for reinforcements. Their failure to appreciate the fact, therefore, and that alone, was the cause of the omission to reinforce them ere the engagement was substantially over."

GENERAL NEWS.

The steamer *Champion* arrived at this port last night, from Aspinwall on the 11th inst. She was delayed six days at Aspinwall, waiting for the arrival of the *Golden Gate* at Panama. She brings about $21,000 in specie from Aspinwall, and but few passengers. Affairs at Panama remain quiet. Accounts from Bogota to the 16th ult. represent the cause of MOSQUERA as progressing favorably. The Liberals appear to be on the eve of establishing themselves permanently as the ruling party in the republic of Columbia. The *Champion* brings later news from Central and South America, but nothing of special importance, politically. The principal intelligence from Peru relates to the loss of the British steamer *Lima*, which occurred on the 11th of July. She struck upon a reef off the Lagento Islands, some fifty-five miles southward of Cobija.

The Committees of the Common Council and others engaged in preparation for the reception of Gen. CORCORAN, have at length agreed upon a programme for the pageant of Friday next. It promises to be one of the most imposing ever witnessed in this City of pomps and festivals. We allude to it specially, and publish the programme in appropriate columns.

The *fête* at Jones' Woods yesterday for the benefit of sick and wounded soldiers, under the auspices of the Young Men's Literary and Social Union Club, was quite a success. Speeches were made by Gen. BUSTEED and Hon. J. P. TOWNSEND. Several thousand people attended during the day and evening, and several hundred dollars were realized for the benevolent cause.

The latest advices from San Francisco express no hope of recovering the treasure lost on the *Golden Gate*.

The *Ironsides* has not yet left Philadelphia, though she may sail to-day. The *Water Witch* and *Powhatan* are both to act as her convoy.

The United States ship *Ino* and the sloop-of-war *Canandaigua* sailed from Boston on Monday. The latter goes to Port Royal.

Another heavy day's work was done on the Stock Exchange yesterday, but at an abatement from the extreme prices of Tuesday, of ¼@1 ℔ cent. on Government Securities and Railway Shares. Late in the afternoon the market was dull, on unfavorable rumors from our army in Virginia. Gold 115¼; Bills on London, 127¼. The Treasury Department sold $3,000,000 of 7.30 ℔ cent. Treasury Bonds, at 104 ℔ cent. and interest accumulated, in Wall-street yesterday.

Flour was depressed, and a trifle lower, yesterday. Wheat was less sought after, and was heavy. A fair business was transacted in Corn, but at rather easier rates. Cotton was in more demand, at uniform quotations. Hay, Oils, Tallow and Tobacco, were in request. Pork was more active, and was firmer. Lard and Beef were unaltered. A moderate inquiry prevailed for Hops, Sugars, Molasses and Whisky. The Freight engagements were limited.

Peninsular Strategy of the Rebels.

One of the great masters of the military art has told us that "the transition from the defensive to the offensive is one of the most difficult and delicate operations of war." The rebels have proved the truth of this maxim in the recent events of the Peninsular campaign. For, contrary to what is usual when an army retreats before superior numbers, the sole immediate result achieved by the much-vaunted seven days' fighting of June and July last was that the rebel loss in killed and wounded fell but little below our own, while they were forced to give up their new offensive attitude, to postpone indefinitely their projected raid on Washington, and to forego the hopeful schemes for levying contributions on the Northern cities, which they had announced with all the vain-glorious confidence of reckless and needy marauders.

After massing almost the whole of their available forces from the entire South, and hurling them upon a part of our dispirited regiments who were wasting with disease, weary of inactivity, and cut off from all effective coöperation with other sections of our army, they had the satisfaction of finding themselves once more on the defensive, having accomplished nothing more by their long preparations and immense efforts, than to cause the division which they had attacked to assume a stronger and more eligible position, where, for six weeks, it has threatened the rebel Capital, while itself was left unassailed. For the rebels, though boasting of their victories, never once ventured within striking distance, but on the contrary, if we may believe their newspapers, have been tormented with daily fears that the General they claimed to have beaten meditated an immediate movement on Richmond.

With regard to our own troops, the change of base was equally opportune and advantageous. For now they were compactly and conveniently posted, instead of being scattered and exposed. The camp was in a healthy instead of a malarious region. Our men had breathing time and were speedily recruited and refreshed. And finally, when the enemy, in a fever of apprehension, believed that we were on the eve of marching against him, our whole *corps d'armée* being in complete readiness to take the field, had already effected a junction with those of BURNSIDE and POPE; and, as if by magic, Harrison's Landing was evacuated in the face of a vigilant and outnumbering foe. Without firing a gun or losing a man, our army advanced to its new camping ground, and improved in efficiency and *morale*, surrounded by reinforcements and supplies, impatiently awaits orders to march, as we trust, to great, glorious and speedy victories.

Thus the rebels have secured no advantage, but have, on the contrary, received a salutary lesson from their abortive attempt to assume the offensive, and from their demonstrations with that view on the Peninsula. They have set free an isolated division of our army, caused the concentration of our available forces in the field, and hastened the fall of Richmond,—or, at least, they have let slip the golden moment in which a NAPOLEON might have changed the aspect of the war, and converted a temporary success into a decisive victory.

THE METROPOLITAN GUARDS.—It was a capital idea, first suggested by Secretary SEWARD, to take advantage of the Police organization for the purpose of raising a regiment in this City. It is obvious, at a glance, what an admirable ready-made engine of recruiting the Police force is eligible to be turned into. Each patrolman becomes a recruiting sergeant, each station-house a recruiting station; and thus at one stroke the Government obtains in this City alone a couple of thousand active efficient enlisting officers and forty or fifty rendezvous for recruits, and all, too, without the expenditure of a dollar. The mattter, however, was not allowed to remain a mere *idea*, but steps were immediately taken to give it practical effect. The success has already been so great that not only is one regiment now under formation, but a second one has been begun, and both are filling up with great rapidity. These regiments, to be called the Metropolitan Guards, have their rendezvous, the one on Riker's Island and the other on Staten Island; and the first already counts 500, while the second has 300 men on its muster-roll. Indeed, so briskly is the business going on that it is now quite certain that a full *brigade* of Metropolitan Guards, composed of first-rate fighting material will be formed and ready for marching orders before the 1st of September.

The really admirable feature of this admirable plan, however, is that the Police organization is to be made available not only for raising the men but for providing for the support of the families of the volunteers during their absence. The uncertainty as to this vital matter is, as is well known, the great obstacle to enlistments in our large cities. The plan adopted by the Police is to obtain subscriptions from all who are willing to contribute, and so considerable a fund has already been raised in this way especially by small contributions from the working classes, that there is little fear that they will be able to provide for the families of all who join the METROPOLITAN GUARDS. It was at first contemplated to do this only for the families of members of the Police force, who form a large element of one of the regiments; but the subscriptions have been, as we said, so encouraging, that it is designed to extend the benefit to all. Money could not possibly be better spent, than by swelling a fund destined to so admirable a use.

Martial Law in New-York.

A morning paper says that it is contemplated to enforce martial law in the City next week. The statement is hardly news. For all practical intents and purposes, the City has been under martial law for the past ten days. It has had a Provost-Marshal, a Provost Guard, the free transit of passengers has been interrupted without a resort to any legal forms, and men have been placed under arrest for saying in private what could do no possible harm if proclaimed from the house-top. These interruptions of the common law privileges and immunities of the person, can only be justified, if justifiable at all, by the military code. They find no warrant under civil authority. Next week, in view of the draft, it may be necessary to give new stringency to the present restrictions. Cowards and traitors will find their names drafted, and may attempt to escape; mobs may be fomented by the concealed labors of rebel sympathizers; the service of the draft-notices may require, in some instances, the exhibition of more than ordinary force. To guard against such mischievous contingencies, it may be proper to be thoroughly armed at all points, and authority should perhaps be given, even to the irresponsible extent of martial law, to those who are charged with the preservation of public order.

We take it for granted, however, that the moment the draft is completed and the men gathered at their rendezvous, the distasteful spectacle of martial law will no longer offend the sense of our community. New-York is not, we believe, charged with disloyalty. It is not, like Baltimore or Louisville, so leavened with treason, that the most vigorous oversight can alone prevent a calamitous outbreak. The existence of war may justify an increase of vigilance everywhere; but in communities where the aggregate tone of sentiment is perfectly healthy, as it certainly is in this City, the functions of a Federal Police cannot be exercised too delicately. The people have had to choose between the overthrow of the National Government by rebellion, or the risk of sacrificing popular rights by a misuse of the extraordinary powers with which, in a crisis so dangerous, it was necessary to invest the Government. Everything that tends to suggest an abuse of such powers weakens the faith of the people in our institutions, and cools the patriotic zeal for their preservation. If it be the purpose of the authorities to offend the faithful and thoroughly-tried Union sentiment of New-York, they can hardly do better than to treat loyal communities at the North with a sternness it fails, it is charged by some, to visit upon open rebellion.

The immediate occasion for recent assertions of purely military power has been the interference of foolish and vicious persons with enlistments. Where the dissuasion has been open and unmistakable, as in the case of a direct appeal to the intending volunteer not to enlist, there will probably be no two opinions about the propriety of arresting and punishing the intruder. But such instances are few. The attention of the Police has rather been directed to the punishment of opinions, which, if sound, go to destroy confidence in the Government, and so inferentially dishearten those who would otherwise fight for it. The safety and expediency of this policy may well be doubted. It should be only for the gravest reasons that any infringement of the liberty of free speech is permitted; and the suspension of the liberty should be as brief as possible. Under the caption of "Discouraging Enlistments," there is hardly an expression not absolutely laudatory of the Administration; not a criticism upon the conduct of the war; not a sentence descriptive of a battle-field; not a list of killed and wounded and sick, which may not be included. No man who opens his mouth is safe. It is at the discretion of the Police, assisted by a reckless informer, to lodge our most loyal and respectable citizens in the Station-house, or send them to Fort Lafayette. The public security demands that a power thus liable to perversion should at once be withdrawn. Indeed, from the moment when the draft was ordered, the discouragement of enlistments ceased to be even a constructive offence. It wrought no harm to the Government—it in no way lent aid to the enemy. The argument of the discourager could only be noteworthy as indicating his individual loyalty or treasonable bias; and we do not understand that martial law is intended to punish the latter inchoate crime, but to prevent it from becoming mischievous through overt acts. Such, certainly, is the reading of the law in Baltimore, Norfolk and New-Orleans. Why it should have a more exacting interpretation here, we are unapprised.

We repeat the wish that the completion of the draft may be attended by the withdrawal of this unusual authority. The Police has ample employment as a local conservator of order. Employed as it is at present, it not only neglects its more immediate duties, but becomes an object of distrust, if not of disgust, to loyal men; and destroys that unity of feeling between the law-abiding portion of our people, and these guardians of public order, which gives the latter their moral strength and efficacy. The change, we have reason to believe, will be as acceptable to the Police themselves as to the people.

"MCCLELLAN CHANGING HIS BASE AGAIN."—This is the caption of an article in the Richmond *Enquirer* of Wednesday of last week, which states the fact of Gen. MCCLELLAN'S moving his troops from Harrison's Bar down the James River on transports. It closes by saying that "MCCLELLAN is running away by night—or, to speak more politely, is making another grand strategic move." There can be no doubt whatever that the rebels knew all about Gen. MCCLELLAN'S movement from Harrison's Landing, from its inception to its close, although the Northern Press refrained from chronicling it until it had been effected; just as they knew all about the progress of the movement of our army on to the Peninsula a half year ago, although the public here were absolutely in the dark about it for some time after the army had got there. At least the Richmond Press, both now and then, published details of both movements, from day to day, as they progressed.

Enlistment of Negroes.

It is remarkable how much fuss resolute zealots can make over a very small matter. Two or three of our smaller States, to judge from the noise made in them, are quite convulsed on the subject of enlisting blacks as soldiers to fight in the ranks of the Union army. Gov. SPRAGUE is busy enrolling a regiment of this class of troops,—the Attorney-General of Massachusetts has promulgated an opinion that they cannot constitutionally be overlooked in drafting men for the war, and an able correspondent of the TIMES, writing in another column, protests vehemently against allowing negroes to shirk their share of fighting. They are men and citizens, he urges, and therefore have not only a right to be soldiers also, but should by no means be exempt from the corresponding duty.

Now we have not the slightest disposition to balk the wishes of our friends who insist that the negroes shall fight. On the contrary, we should be very glad to have every able-bodied negro on the continent employed in fighting the rebels—who certainly are none too good to be killed by anybody, black or white, who can get at them;—and we should regard every white man who can thus be released from the unpleasant service as so much clear gain to the country. If the negroes can fight, *without weakening the army more than they aid it*, put them into the ranks by all means. This is the only point that gives us any misgivings. Gov. SPRAGUE cannot probably get more than one negro regiment into the field from his State:—Massachusetts may get two:—possibly a dozen in all might be enlisted in all the Northern States. If this can be done with the general consent, and without damaging the Union cause elsewhere, very well. It will add just so many men to the army, and, in the absence of actual experiment, we have no right to say they will not fight as well as the average of other troops, though we somewhat doubt it.

But we fear we may purchase this questionable aid at too high a price. President LINCOLN is reported to have said that the emancipation of the slaves, and their introduction into the Union army, would turn *against us* 50,000 loyal troops from the Border States who are now fighting on our side. This may or may not be so. It certainly ought to be open to some doubt. But the authority for the statement entitles it to attention, and if it is well founded, its importance entitles it to weight. We cannot afford to make such an exchange. The white troops we should lose, if the President's opinion is worth anything, are far more valuable to us than the black troops we should gain. Besides, we can see very clearly that the enlistment of blacks is certain to excite a great deal of disaffection and bad feeling at the North. Bad men already make it a pretext for stirring up prejudice and hostility among different classes of society,—for exciting distrust of the Government, and for discouraging enlistments. All this is very contemptible and very unpatriotic,—but at the same time it may be very mischievous; and as we can hardly afford just now to accumulate causes of dissension and controversy among ourselves, it may be wise to avoid questions certain to give rise to them, if it can be done without too great loss on the other side. And unless there is a good prospect of getting more help from the blacks than they seem likely, according to present appearances, to yield us, we doubt the policy of pushing the point quite so vehemently as some of our friends are inclined to do. We don't think there is any fear that the loyalty and patriotism of either Massachusetts or Rhode Island is likely to succumb at once, even without colored help. If it is, then by all means let them call on the blacks for aid.

There is one fact, however, which stares us in the face, and becomes more and more pressing in its importance every day. Whether the negroes would be of any service as soldiers or not, they are of infinite service to the rebels as laborers. They are in fact the backbone of the rebellion. They have supplied the lack of a laboring population in the Southern States, while the mass of the people have filled the ranks of the rebel army. If there is any way in which the *rebels can be deprived of their aid*, it ought to be resorted to. There can be no shadow of doubt in any man's mind that losses from this body of labor cripple the rebels almost as much as losses from their armies in the field. Wherever the negro slaves can be reached, therefore, it is clearly good policy that they should be taken from the rebels. The Confiscation act of last session will probably do as much, if rigidly enforced, as can now be done in any way toward the accomplishment of this object.

THE REBEL CONSCRIPTION.—The Richmond *Dispatch* of last Saturday urges upon the Rebel Congress, now in session, the absolute necessity of extending the Conscription Act to all persons within the ages of sixteen and fifty-five years—the material between eighteen and thirty-five being now exhausted. By this means it is believed the rebels will be able to raise a force equal to the 600,000 Yankees which LINCOLN has now called for, as the journal in question shows that it is necessary for the Confederates to have a force equal to LINCOLN. If this measure be carried into effect it will certainly pretty nearly clean out every vestige of the white man from the Southern States. The beardless lads of sixteen and the gray-beards of fifty-five—those whose calves are yet ungrown, and those whose calves are shriveled up, must all don their uniforms, grasp their muskets, if they can find them, and march to the music of rebellion. There will be nothing in the shape of masculine humanity (of the white variety,) in all Dixie, except very small boys and very old codgers. There will be no one able-bodied enough even to maul the niggers, who will have to assign that necessary duty to each other. If JEFF. DAVIS' despotism was anything less absolute than death, it would be impossible to enforce such a scheme as this; but this or anything else will be enforced, if necessary. We have still an advantage over the rebels, however, in the fact that our immense levies were called out two months before the old and young rebel conscripts can be; and, if they are pushed forward with proper rapidity, will be in the field fighting the present rebel army long before anything can be done in the way of raising this new one.

England, France and the Confederacy.

It seems from the telegraphic summary of European news by the *Europa* that our transatlantic friends are still breaking their teeth and making wry faces over that hard, rough, terrible nut, the American question. We have it in every variety of form, and on both sides of the Channel, in the Press, on the platform, in the Legislature and in the Cabinet. The prorogation of Parliament having put a stop to the outpourings of the collective wisdom of England, the members have carried the all-absorbing topic into the popular assembly PAM. has been making a speech on the subject to the cutlers of Sheffield, though all we are told of its character is that it advocated non-interference in American affairs. This is certainly a notable circumstance, as it shows the Prime Minister is openly committed to a neutral policy during the recess of Parliament. It has been urged by some, who think they see further into a millstone than other people, that the real danger of intervention would be when the close of the session of Parliament should leave the Cabinet free to act on its own responsibility. But here we have its head coming before a popular assembly and frankly counseling a continuance of the same neutral policy which England has hitherto held. Coming on the heels of the recent debates in the Lords and Commons, and the Queen's speech on the occasion of the prorogation of Parliament, it should be a sufficient quietus to the croakings of intervention which some find a mysterious pleasure in giving forth. With this official reassurance from Lord PALMERSTON, nobody probably will care a straw for the outgivings of ROEBUCK, who is reported to have followed the Prime Minister in a speech, urging the claims of the rebel Confederacy to be such as entitled it to recognition by England as an independent Government.

From France the news is not of altogether so agreeable a complexion. It states that SLIDELL has had an interview with the Emperor NAPOLEON, upon whom he urged the recognition of the Southern Confederacy; and it is said that NAPOLEON admits the cogency of the arguments held forth by SLIDELL in favor of such a course, but says *that the greatest barrier to the recognition of the South has been the objections of England.* This is certainly a frank confession for the double-tongued oracle of the Tuileries to make; but what is curious in the matter is, that we have the very best reason to believe it that it is strictly true. The Emperor frequently deceives by the very frankness with which he lays bare his policy. He might do so here, did we not *know* that he has on several occasions, as far back as a year ago, solicited England to join him in an enterprise for obtaining a supply of cotton and tobacco. Though this action on the part of NAPOLEON does not tend to put him in a very amiable light in our eyes, the feint of pretending (of course, everybody knows it is only pretence) to follow the beck of England in his dealings with the South, is a *convenient* policy for him to adopt—equally serviceable whether he does or does not wish to aid the rebels. It enables him to seem to be wonderfully struck by the "cogent" arguments of SLIDELL, while he makes the "objections" of England a pack-horse to carry the burden of responsibility he does not care himself to assume. While, however, we have no assurance that the Emperor has *principle* enough to keep his hands off if he sees his way clear to interfere, there is nevertheless a prospect of events much nearer home that will give him quite as much as he is able to attend to. Italian affairs, in consequence of GARIBALDI'S new uprising, are assuming a complexity that will for some time to come absorb all the energies of that scheming brain. For the sake of Italy, we deplore the crisis that seems upon her; but there is no saying but that we may be indebted to the turn of affairs there for the privilege of being let alone in the work we have still to do.

The contrast which, according to NAPOLEON'S own avowal, is presented by the conduct of France and England, in the matter of intervention, cannot fail to be *remembered* by America. All the motives that can possibly impel France to intervene, are certainly felt in England with ten-fold force; and the firm barrier which she has throughout offered to the meddlesome schemes of the French Emperor, gives evidence of a superior tone of international morality, which it would be unjust in us not to recognize. If, now, with these proofs of the fixed neutrality of England, on the one hand, and the preoccupation of the head of France elsewhere, on the other, we allow any visions of foreign intervention to disturb the unity and vigor with which we devote ourselves to the work of putting down the rebellion, it will be our own fault.

AN EXPLANATION FROM MR. PHILLIPS.—We give place in another column to a letter addressed to the *Tribune* by WENDELL PHILLIPS. The concession is all the more willingly made because the distinguished Abolitionist therein takes occasion to place himself in a far better position, so far as his relations with the Government are concerned, than he occupied in making his Abingdon speech. Dissenting, as we are so often constrained to dissent, from the radical and intemperate views of Mr. PHILLIPS—views which would be less liable to do harm, if they were not recommended by matchless graces of rhetoric—it is true, in the present instance, to say the orator acquits himself of any premeditated disloyalty, and shows that he has zealously promoted enlistments in Massachusetts, and only leaves us to regret his imprudence in uniformly using such topics in denunciation of the Government, as tend to beget indifference as to its perpetuation, and indirectly discourage those who would else hasten to its defence.

—Ex President Buchanan, it is now stated, has resolved not to leave "Wheatland" to reside upon the new farm, near Downingtown, lately purchased by himself and Col. Baker.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

Four Millions Already Paid Out in Bounties by the Government.

Three Millions Additional to be Paid Immediately.

The Money Taken from the Consuls at New-Orleans to be Returned.

OUR SPECIAL WASHINGTON DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

THE REPORT OF HON REVERDY JOHNSON.

Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON, of Maryland, has made his report to the Government upon the points in the administration of affairs in New-Orleans, he not long since went thither to ministrate, and the President has approved its conclusions. It is understood that he recommends the return to the Consul of the Netherlands of the $800,000 seized by Gen. BUTLER; that the $716,000 be returned to the French Consul, and also that a large amount of sugars and other merchandise be relinquished to the Greek, British and other foreign merchants, domiciled in New-Orleans, as, according to Mr. JOHNSON, these seizures by Gen. BUTLER cannot be justified by civil or military law.

A RUMOR WITH A SLIGHT FOUNDATION.

At a dinner party recently, a prominent Louisianian said, in the presence of REVERDY JOHNSON, that with the latter as Governor, and Gen. DIX in the place of BUTLER, the people would rally, and through a Convention, bring the State back into the Union. From this private remark, doubtless, has risen the rumor that such an arrangement is to be consummated. It has no other basis.

THE PAYMENT OF BOUNTIES.

The bounties paid and to be paid by the Government to the new volunteers, already amount to seven millions. Of these, four millions have been paid. For a day or two all other payments at the Treasury have been suspended, for the sake of closing those up. It is supposed that another day or two will pay off the remaining three millions. These of course are merely the bounties paid by the National Government. It is estimated that the other bounties paid by State Governments, counties, town corporations, etc., will swell the amount expended, beyond the legitimate payment of soldiers' wages and outfit in raising voluunteers under the President's call for three hundred thousand men to *fifty millions*.

THE COMING DRAFT.

Mr. STANTON stated to-day that the order for drafting to fill up the old regiments would be inforced without fail by the 1st of September. The old regiments which have not been recruited up to the full strength before that time, will at once be filled by draft. This matter has only been delayed thus long from a desire to have the old regiments filled up with men, whose term of service would last as long as the rest of the regiments. Men drafted into old regiments can only be held for nine months, while the rest of the regiment is, of course, held for the full term of enlistment.

THE ONE-DOLLAR TREASURY NOTES.

Proofs of the new one-dollar Treasury Notes were sent back to New-York, for a few minor corrections, to-day. This will delay the issue of these notes a day or two longer than has been expected.

THE NEW-YORK TAX APPOINTMENTS.

The New-York appointments under the tax law again engrossed Secretary CHASE all day. Congressmen, and others, have been very busy lobbying. There has been a heavy outside pressure, and a large influx of candidates and their friends. The recommendations were finally completed this evening, and Mr. CHASE will send in a list of them to the President to-morrow.

THE MASSACHUSETTS APPOINTMENTS.

The Massachusetts appointments will be delayed a short time. It has been determined to reorganize the Districts there before making the appointments, and Mr. SUMNER is here excessively occupied in arranging that matter.

APPOINTMENTS FOR INDIANA.

The following are the appointments for the State of Indiana, under the Internal Revenue law, made to-day:

First District—Horace B. Shepperd, of Vincennes, Collector; John Pitcher, of Mount Vernon, Assessor.

Second District—Daniel Sigler, Collector; Thomas S. Slaughter, of Corydia, Assessor.

Third District—John S. Hunter, of Bloomington, Collector; Wm. S. Browning, Assessor.

Fourth District—James L. Later, of Osgood, Collector; N. V. Kyger, Assessor.

Fifth District—Caleb Johnson, Collector; John Garyan, of Richmond, Assessor.

Sixth District—Theodore P. Haughly, of Indianapolis, Collector; Wm. A. Bradshaw, of Indianapolis, Assessor.

Seventh District—John G. Crain, of Rockville, Collector; James Farrington, of Terre Haute, Assessor.

Eighth District—Jno. L. Smith, of Stockville, Collector; Joseph Potter, of Delphi, Assessor.

Ninth District—John F. Dodds, of Logansport, Collector; David Gunier, of Crown Point, Assessor.

Tenth District—William H. Withers, of Fort Wayne, Collector; W. Williams, of Warsaw, Assessor.

Eleventh District—Dewitt C. Chipinaw, of Noblesville, Collector; Stearns Fisher, of Wabash, Assessor.

RETURNED PRISONERS IN WASHINGTON.

The following released prisoners, returned from Richmond, have arrived: John S. Crocker, Ninety-third New-York; Lieut.-Col. G. W. Neff, Second Kentucky; Maj. J. D. Potter, Thirty-eighth New-York; Maj. A. S. Cassidy, Ninety-third New-York; Capt. L. Gordon, Eleventh Massachusetts; Lieut. C. W. Tillatson, Ninety-ninth New-York; Lieut. T. Swann, Seventh Maine; T. S. Hamlin, commanding Company G, Thirty-eighth New-York; Capt. John Downey, Fire Zouaves; Capt. M. Griffin, Eighth Maine; Capt. O. Hotticher, Sixth New-York; Capt. J. T. Drew, Second Vermont; Capt. G. W. Shurtleff, Second Ohio; Capt. R. A. Fish, Thirty-second New-York; Capt. G. Aus-Austin, Second Kentucky; Capt. E. H. Jenkins, Ninety-ninth New-York; Lieut. A. M. Underhill, Fire Zouaves; Lieut. D. L. Gordon, Second United States Cavalry; Lieut. J. F. Kent, Third United States Infantry; Lieut. S. W. Califf, Eleventh Massachusetts; Lieut. J. Westedor, Eighth New-York; J. C. Gregg, telegraph operator, Hooker's Division; Lieut. J. J Nevin, Twenty-eighth Pennsylvania; Adj. H. S. Lumbard, Eighth Illinois Cavalry; Lieut. A. T. Wilcox, Seventh Ohio; W. Luce, of Washington; Lieut. B. T. Harris, Twenty-fifth New-York; J. H. Hoffman, Assistant-Surgeon United States Army; W. V. Marx, First Michigan; E. M. Ramworth, Sergeant-Major Eighth Illinois Cavalry; M. Donnell, drummer, Thirty-eighth New-York; Lieut. M. Albaugh, First Maryland; Capt. L. G. Camp, Sixty-eighth New-Rork; Second Assistant Engineer F. L. Hines, United States steamer *Union*; Third Assistant Engineer A. M. Perkins, United States steamer *Union*; T. A. Palmer, First Officer United States steamer *Union*; Lieut. S. R. Hitridge, Second Maine; Capt. J. A. Betts, Fifth Connecticut; Capt. W. D. Davis, Twenty-seventh Indiana; Lieut. Timothy Schlynch, One Hundredth New-York; Lieut. J. A. Newell, One Hundredth New-York; Lieut. J. B. King, Ohio Artillery; Lieut. E. J. Rice and Lieut. C. F. Gardner, One Hundredth New-York; Adj. W. M. Bruvort, First Michigan Cavalry; Perrie Windham, First New-York Cavalry; Chief Engineer C. H. Baker United States Navy; Lieut. John Bagley, Sixty-ninth New-York; Capt. D. H. Schley, Lieut. J. H. Colony,

First Maryland; Col. J. P. K. Simmons, First Michigan Cavalry; Col. R. P. Hains, Twenty-ninth Ohio; Capt. R. L. Kilpatrick, Fifth Ohio; Lieut. W. Fry, Twenty-fifth New-York; Capt. T. O'Meara, Tammany Regiment; Lieut. J. W. Watkins, Sixtieth Ohio. These officers confirm everything we have hitherto told concerning the recent atrocities, and add fresh horrors, almost too incredible for belief, to the sickening account.

GEN. BUTLER'S QUARTERMASTER.

When the forces of Major-Gen. BUTLER were fitted out, his Quartermaster became indebted to some fifty leading mercantile houses of New-England. On that account he was rejected by the Senate. Another man took his place, and was instructed to send all the accounts to Washington for settlement. This was done. The merchants protested against the cutting down of their bills, without remedy, for months. But this week the merchants appealed to their Senator, (SUMNER,) who came hither, and having satisfied the Secretary of War of the equitable character of the claims, the latter ordered the payment of the entire amount, over $500,000, part of it here, and the remainder in Boston.

THE ARMY CORRESPONDENTS.

The statements that the army correspondents are to be incontinently expelled from POPE'S and MCCLELLAN'S lines are doubtless premature. Up to this time no such determination has been reached, but it has been emphatically announced that none will be permitted to remain except those who conform to the spirit as well as the letter of the instructions about contraband news.

ANOTHER MILITARY PRISON.

Another military prison has been prepared. It is a four warehouse in Georgetown, capable of accommodating five to six hundred. About 100 are at present confined there.

PACIFIC RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

Under the authority of the Act of July 1, 1862, to aid the construction of railroads and telegraph lines to the Pacific Ocean, the Secretary of the Interior has appointed the following named gentlemen to be Commissioners in conjunction with the other Commissioners named in the Act, viz.: SAMUEL J. TILDEN and HENRY V. POOR, of New-York; WM. D. GRISWOLD, of Indiana; ROBERT W. LATHAM, of the District of Columbia, and Dr. O. M. WOZENCRAFT, of California.

Letters have been received here by Rev. JAMES MITCHELL, Agent of Emigration, from Rev. H. H. GARLAND, of New-York, and other colored men of influence at the North, warmly seconding the plan of the President for the colonization of the free negroes in Central America.

AMERICAN PIRATES IN MEXICAN WATERS.

Two or two French merchant vessels welch recently ascended some of the Mexican water-courses having been pillaged by pirates, the French Government has ordered seven iron-clad gunboats, three at Cherbourg, two at Toulon, for the service of the inland navigation of that country. These boats are now on their way, and will have reached their destination before the end of the month. The French papers which bring this fact into notice say that the pirates infesting the Mexican shores and rivers are supposed to be United States citizens enlisted by JUAREZ in the service of the Mexican navy.

SIR PERCY WYNDHAM.

Among the returned prisoners, to-day, is Sir PERCY WYNDHAM, of the First New-Jersey Cavalry, the English nobleman concerning whose capture the rebels have been making so much ado.

TAKEN PRISONER.

The rebel Gen. STUART'S Adjutant is said to have been taken prisoner to-day.

PENSION FRAUDS.

BRADFORD RIXFORD, of Wisconsin has been appointed special agent for the detection of frauds in the pension office, under the act of July 14, 1862.

THE CORCORAN RECEPTION.

The Arrangements Perfected for the Programme.

The Committee on National Affairs of the Common Council, was in session in the City Hall during the whole of yesterday, receiving communications from the different Societies that desire to participate in the pageantry of the affair. A programme was, finally, agreed upon, and will be found in our advertising columns. Every Hibernian Association in the City is straining its utmost to make the spectacle a splendid one.

Yesterday forenoon the following dispatch and letter were received:

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

Alderman Terrence Farley, No. 8 City Hall:

We will arrive in Jersey City at 2 o'clock on Friday next. Particulars sent by letter.

WM. WALSH,
THOMAS STEVENSON, } Committee.
HENRY SMITH,

WILLARD'S HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C., Wednesday, Aug. 19.

DEAR FARLEY: We have just completed our arrangements. We will leave here on Wednesday morning, for Baltimore, where the General will remain until Thursday, when he will leave for Philadelphia, at which place he will remain until Friday morning. He will leave Philadelphia on Friday morning, at 11 o'clock, and arrive at Jersey City at 2 o'clock P. M.

You will please to see Capt. WOOLSEY, Superintendent of Jersey City Ferry Company, and arrange with him to have a special boat at the depôt, to convey the General and suite to Castle Garden, where I think it will be best to land.

You will also see that the military and civic societies are furnished with music. The representatives of the several societies will call upon you to arrange the details.

Very truly yours,
WM. WALSH
THOS. STEVENSON, } Committee.
HENRY SMITH,

The array of societies named in the programme insures an imposing display, and the City will probably be thronged with untold thousands of spectators from distant points.

MOVEMENT AMONG THE FIREMEN.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Aug. 20, 1862.

Whereas, The firemen of the City of New-York have from time immemorial displayed their love to their native City by rendering their services *voluntarily* to the citizens of this Metropolis, and their undying loyalty and fidelity to the Government of the United States.

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of New-York design giving to Brig.-Gen. M. CORCORAN and his companions such a reception as their services in the field and their sufferings in prison so justly entitle them to; and,

Whereas, The firemen of the City of New-York have been awarded by the Common Council such a position in the escort, to meet the gallant officers alluded to, as their good services merit, therefore I recommend that the firemen do assemble in the Park on Friday, the 22d, at 2 o'clock P. M., in uniform, (fire-cap, red shirt and black pants ane belt,) without apparatus, for the purpose of taking such part in the ceremonies of the reception as we have been requested to do by the Committee on National Affairs of the Common Council of the City.

As the time specified is too short to call a formal meeting of the Board of Engineers and Foremen, I feel convinced that this unofficial call will be responded to in the same spirit in which it is made.

JOHN DECKER,
Chief-Engineer New-York Fire Department.

MOVEMENTS OF GEN. CORCORAN.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

Gen. MICHAEL CORCORAN left Washington at 11 o'clock, for the North.

GEN. CORCORAN IN BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

Gen. CORCORAN received the citizens at the Eutaw House this evening, which was thronged from 8 to 7 o'clock with an immense concourse anxious to see the martyr patriot, and welcome him to the city. A large number of Irish citizens also called, to whom he made personal appeals to arouse their countrymen of Baltimore to rally to the standard of the Union.

He consented to address the people to-night at Monument-square, and the front of the Court-house was beautifully decorated and illuminated for the occasion. Mayor CHAPMAN presided, and introduced the General, who was received by the immense concourse with long repeated cheers.

Gen. CORCORAN returned thanks for the enthusiasm of his reception, and attributed it to the glorious cause in which he was identified rather than to any personal merit. He then proceeded to give an account of his imprisonment, and detailed a number of incidents of outrage at Richmond, Charleston, Columbia and Salisbury. He described the prison a Salisbury, where were 300 Union citizen prisoners, among whom he had found a number of Irishmen who had refused to fight under any other flag than that which they had sworn allegiance to on their arriving in this country. Their treatment was more brutal than that of the military prisoners, and among them were old gray-headed men, bowed down with suffering and sorrow, but firm in their allegiance. The deaths among them averaged two a day for the last six weeks. He appealed to all to love the old flag and hated tyranny to rally with him to the utmost and relief of those suffering martyrs. He gave a graphic description of the condition of Richmond under the rule of the arch-fiend and tyrant—JEFF. DAVIS—and declared that liberty no longer existed there, and would never be vouchsafed the people until the old flag was restored. The streets presented a most deserted and sorrowful condition—no able-bodied man dared walk on the streets unless provided with a military pass, and all that was to be seen on its thoroughfares was jaded and ragged soldiers, and women and children dressed in mourning. If any of his hearers sympat ized with the rebellion, it was only necessary for them to see what he had seen to drive all such feeling from their hearts. He verily believed that no such tyranny and expression existed on the face of the earth as the despotism of the Southern Confederacy. He concluded with a strong appeal to his countrymen of Baltimore, who, he could not believe, were disloyal to the country that gave them freedom, liberty and citizenship, to rally to the support of the Government in crushing the rebellion.

He was followed in eloquent speeches by RICHARD O'GORMAN, MICHAEL CONNELLY, and Councilman STEPHENSON, of New-York.

Interesting Meeting of Returned Prisoners.

A highly interesting meeting took place last evening at Clark's Hotel, No. 94 Chatham-street. It was a congregation of returned prisoners for the purpose of arranging to participate in the reception of Gen. CORCORAN and the other Union officers recently released from Southern captivity. Such cordial greetings are rarely seen as here took place between old comrades, who had together braved the dangers of the battle-field, together fallen into the hands of a merciless foe, and together endured the hardships of Southern prisons. They were almost entirely representatives of the City regiments captured at Bull Run, who were subjected to all the barbarities which Southern malignity could invent, before the fortunes of War taught them that one side could capture prisoners as well as another. There were men who had for months lived in the foulest atmosphere, without sufficient food, and goaded to desperation by the taunts of unfeeling captors; men who had been wounded and now carried maimed limbs or honorable scars as mementoes of their devotion to the Union. But how changed since last they met? Many had so improved since their return that it was almost impossible for their old comrades to recognize them. But, a familiar expression, a cant word, a favorite allusion, a peculiar voice or a well known scar often recalled in a moment the dear memories of good fellowship. Among those present were the following:

A. O. Alcock, W. W. Braydon, J. F. Taylor, A. F. Carmody, Wolf Morrison, Thomas Barry, Thomas O'Brien, Charles McManus, J. W. Commaky, First Fire Zouaves.

D. Shorten, Sixty-ninth.

Dr. Wilson, Second N. Y. S. M.

Thomas C. Deary, G. W. Green, Enoch Tompkins, P. Embray, J. Steinmann, G. W. Cole, Seventy-first.

Sergeant Robert Brown, Privates Richard Briody, Thomas Armstrong, Seventy-ninth N. Y. S. M.

Mr. THOS. C. DEARY, of the Seventy-first Regiment, was chosen Chairman, and A. O. ALCOCK, of the First Fire Zouaves, Secretary. The Chair stated that the returned prisoners had been offered the right of the line in the Corcoran reception, and the City would pay for music, badges and carriages.

Messrs. J. COMMISKY, G. W. GREEN and A. O. ALCOCK were appointed a Committee on Music.

Mr. A. O. ALCOCK was chosen Marshal of the day. Lieut. CONNOLLY, of the Sixty-ninth, and ROBERT BURNS, of the Seventy-ninth, were chosen Assistant Marshals, and the returned prisoners of other regiments authorized to appoint additional Assistant Marshals.

It was determined to invite all returned prisoners of City regiments to participate, and the meeting adjourned, to assemble at 12½ o'clock P. M., on Friday, to participate in the reception of Gen. CORCORAN.

GEN. CORCORAN TO VISIT WALLACK'S THEATRE.

Brig.-Gen. MICHAEL CORCORAN has accepted the invitation of Mr. FLORENCE to visit Wallack's Theatre. Arrangements are being perfected for his proper reception. The establishment is to be appropriately decorated and brilliantly illuminated. He is expected on Saturday or Monday evening.

THE GUERRILLAS IN MISSOURI.

A Camp Broken Up Below New-Madrid.

NEW-MADRID, Mo., Wednesday, Aug. 20.

A force of cavalry from this post under Capt. FRANK MOORE, while on an expedition to Charleston, attacked a rebel camp on White Oak Ridge, west of Hickman, and killed four of the enemy and took nineteen prisoners, including three captains. They also captured twenty-seven horses and about one hundred stand of arms. Capt. MOORE and one of the privates were wounded; one killed.

THE RECENT BATTLE AT LONE JACK.

KANSAS CITY, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

The Federal loss at the engagement at Lone Jack, on Friday last, is understood to have been one hundred and fifty killed, wounded and missing. The balance of the force escaped to Lexington. The section of artillery lost in the fight was taken and retaken four times, and was finally spiked and abandoned by the Nationals.

In the fight at Independence, on the 11th, Gen. HUGHES, who commanded a rebel regiment at Carthage and a brigade at Wilson's Creek, was killed, and the notorious and brutal Col. BOYD and Col. THOMPSON were wounded, the former fatally.

THE WEEKLY TIMES.

The NEW-YORK WEEKLY TIMES, No. 570, is published THIS MORNING, and may be had at the counter, in wrappers, ready for mailing. It contains the LATEST INTELLIGENCE up to the moment of going to press.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON—Important Orders from Secretary Stanton—Drafting not to be Easily Eluded—President's Interview with the Colored Delegation—Reception of Cols. WILCOX and CORCORAN.

FROM VIRGINIA.—Movement of Gen. POPE—Safe Withdrawal of Gen. MCCLELLAN'S Forces from James River.

EUROPEAN NEWS—With Interesting Letters from our Special Correspondents Abroad, and Extracts from our Foreign Exchanges.

ARMY CORRESPONDENCE from all the Different Commands and Departments.

NEWS FROM NEW-ORLEANS—The Fight at Baton Rouge—Destruction of the Rebel Ram Arkansas.

NATIONAL FINANCES—The Debt of the United States, present and prospective.

GOVERNMENT AND THE RAILROADS.

A WAR SERMON, BY ARCHBISHOP HUGHES.

DRAFTING ORDERS—STATE AND NATIONAL.

A PAGE OF EDITORIAL ON THE TOPICS OF THE DAY.

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MARRIED.

DOUGLASS—CANTRELL.—On Wednesday, Aug. 20, by Rev. F. E. Lawrence, GEO. E. DOUGLASS to MARY A. CANTRELL, both of New-York.

MORTON—DODGE.—At Riverdale, on Wednesday, Aug. 20, by Rev. Dr. Morton, of Philadelphia, Mr. HENRY MORTON to Miss CLARA W., daughter of Samuel N. Dodge, Esq., of this City.

DIED

DIBBLE.—In Brooklyn, on Friday, Aug. 15, at the residence of her son, Henry C. Spalding, Mrs. LUCINDA DIBBLE, in the 69th year of her age.

Her remains were taken to Middletown, Conn., for interment.

DOUGLAS.—At 115th-st., Avenue A, Capt. A. DOUGLAS.

His funeral will take place from his father's house on Thursday, the 21st inst., at 1 o'clock.

DREW.—On board U. S. transport steamer *John Brooks*, on Sunday morning, Aug. 17, of typhoid fever, GEORGE W. DREW, son of Francis N. Drew, of Hamilton, C. W., and member of Company D, Forty-ninth Regiment, N. Y. S. V., aged 24 years.

FRANKS.—At Staunton, Va., on Sunday, May 18, from wounds received in battle, FLAVEL M., youngest son of J. J. Franks, of Bergen, N. J., aged 24 years.

LOUTREL.—In this City, on Wednesday, Aug. 20, LOUIS LOUTREL, aged 77 years.

Notice of funeral in Friday's paper.

MACFARLANE.—At Glenwood, L. I., on Tuesday, Aug. 19, after a short illness, ANASTASIE ORANGE, wife of John M. Macfarlane, of this City.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 131 East 32d-st., on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

MACKENZIE.—The funeral service over the remains of the late CHARLES MACKENZIE, Esq., who perished in the fire in Beekman-st., on the 6th inst., will be held in the Church of the Incarnation, Madison-av., on Friday, the 22d inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. The friends of the deceased gentleman are respectfully invited to attend.

MERLETT.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Aug. 20, at No. 20 Douglass-st., GEORGE TAYLOR, only son of Abram R. and Matilda R. Merlett, aged 5 years, 1 month and 13 days.

Notice of funeral in Friday's papers.

QUACKENBOS.—On Wednesday, Aug. 20, of typhoid fever, Capt. M. M. QUACKENBOS, of Company E, Thirty-sixth Regiment, N. Y. V.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his father, M. M. Quackenbos, No. 141 2d-av., on Friday, at 4 o'clock P. M. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SHOTWELL.—At Skaneateles, on Fourth Day morning, the 30th of Eighth month, at the house of her son, George F. Shotwell, DEBORAH, widow of the late Joseph S. Shotwell, of this City, in the 73d year of her age.

THOMAS.—On Tuesday, Aug. 19, JOHN THOMAS, a native of Llanystud, Wales, aged 56 years.

The funeral services will be held at the Chapel of the Sailors' Snug Harbor, Staten Island, this day, at 5 o'clock P. M. The friends and members of the Mariners' Church are invited to attend. A return boat will leave Snug Harbor at 7½ P. M.

☞ The funeral of EDWARD CURTIS WAIT, son of Dr. T. G. Wait, will take place this day, (Thursday,) at 12 o'clock, noon, from the residence of Mr. A. T. Baxter, Tottenville, Staten Island. The friends of the family are invited to attend, without further notice.

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PROGRAMME OF ARRANGEMENTS
FOR THE RECEPTION OF
BRIGADIER-GENERAL
MICHAEL CORCORAN,
By the
Municipal Authorities of the City of New-York,
Under the Direction of the
Joint Committee on National Affairs,
On his
Return to the City from Captivity in Richmond.

The members of the Common Council will assemble at Room No. 8, City Hall, at 12 o'clock, M., on FRIDAY, the 22d inst., and repair to Jersey City, to receive Brig.-Gen. CORCORAN; from thence the Common Council, with their guest, will proceed by steamboat to Castle Garden, where, upon their arrival, a national salute will be fired, the official ceremonies will take place, and His Honor the Mayor will welcome Gen. Corcoran to the City.

ORDER OF PROCESSION.

GRAND MARSHAL—Gen. EWEN, assisted by the following Aids:

Col. Geo. E. Baldwin, First Aid.	
Col. Alexander Hamilton,	Maj. R. Taylor,
Col. Van Buren,	Col. Schwartzman,
John Chadwick,	Charles Darling,
L. R. Marsh,	Thomas Storms,

Robert Shannon.

MILITARY,

Commanded by Col. Postley, Acting General.
1st Regiment Cavalry, Col. Walter W. Price.
3d Regiment Hussars, under Senior Captain Budke.
11th Regiment New-York Volunteers, Col. Wm. Allen.
5th Regiment National Guards, Col. Burges.
Commissioned Officers of the First Division, and Volunteers off duty.

69th Regiment, right wing, column companies.

½ Company of 69th Regt., flanked.

Gen. Corcoran.

His Honor the Mayor.

Chairman of Committee on National Affairs.

Chairman of Committee on Invitations in open barouche

Sixty-ninth Regiment, Left Wing, Column Companies. Returned Prisoners.

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City Governments.

Board of Supervisors.

½ Company of 69th Regt., flanked.

Lancers of the Sixty-ninth Regt., Capt. Dalton, by flies.

Troop, Eighth Regt., Capt. Brown, by flies.

New-York Fire Department, in full uniform, without apparatus, under direction of John Decker, Esq., Chief Engineer, Acting Aid.

CIVIC SOCIETIES.

The various Irish Civic Societies, under the Grand Marshalship of Mr. James Sandford, aided by Messrs. Peter Halpin and James White in the following order:

Longshoremen's U. B. Society,
Marshal, Dennis Sullivan.
St. James' R. C. T. A. Society,
Marshal, John Dwyer.
Father Matthew T. A. Society,
Marshal, E. L. Carey.
Father Matthew Society, of Brooklyn,
Marshal, Hugh McCabe.
Barry Benevolent Society,
Marshal, ———.
Ancient Order of Hibernians, N. Y.,
Marshal, John Tucker.
Thomas Francis Meagher Club,
Marshal, Edward Duffy.
Hibernian Benevolent Society,
Marshal, Michael Rowentree.
Hibernian U. B. Society,
Marshal, Michael Duffy.
Benevolent Society United Sons of Erin,
Marshal, John Duffy.

And all other Societies desiring to participate.
Citizens on horseback and in carriages.

The procession will take the following route: From the Battery, through Broadway to Park-row, through Park-row to the east gate of the Park, passing through the Park in front of the City Hall into Broadway; up Broadway to Grand-st., through Grand-st. to the Bowery, up the Bowery and 4th-av. to and around Union-square, thence down Broadway to the St. Nicholas Hotel and dismiss.

The keepers of all public buildings, the proprietors of hotels and other public places, the masters and owners of shipping in the harbor, and our citizens generally, are requested to display their flags during the day.

The Superintendent of Police is respectfully requested to see that the route taken by the procession will be kept entirely free from vehicles, or anything calculated to retard or delay the progress of the procession.

The Mayor and the Corporate authorities of the City will entertain Gen. Corcoran at a banquet at the St. Nicholas Hotel, on Monday evening next.

Should the weather prove inclement, the flags will not be hoisted on the City Hall, which will be considered a signal that the reception will not take place until further notice.

COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL AFFAIRS:

TERRENCE FARLEY,	WM. ORTON,
HENRY SMITH,	WM. H. GEDNEY,
CHAS. J. CHIPP,	JOHN HOGAN,
PETER MITCHELL,	MORGAN JONES,
IRA A. ALLEN,	A. H. KEECH.

TERRENCE FARLEY, Chairman.

ALEX. H. KEECH, Secretary.

Civic societies not in programme, will report to James Sandford, Esq., Grand Marshal, on the morning of the parade.

Military companies not reported will do so on the morning of the parade to Col. Postley, on the ground.

By order of the Chairman Com. N. A. of C. C.

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The War in America—No Sympathy with the South—Mr. Lincoln's Government and Anti-Slavery Principles—Emancipation only a Matter of Time—Mexico—Jamaica to be the Depot for French Troops—State of Crime—Jamaica Cotton, &c., &c.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Thursday, Aug. 7, 1862.

In Jamaica, we have been accustomed to read of wars, and hear of rumors of wars, but of the realities of war, we know little or nothing. The civil war in the United States, and the French invasion of Mexico, are matters, therefore, which interest us deeply. In regard to America, the world is divided in opinion as to the end sought to be attained by the war. There are those—and they are many—who deny that the freedom of the blacks forms any part of the question at issue. It is the prevalence of this feeling, I believe, which has secured sympathizers for the South, in quarters where such sympathy was not expected. Of the holders of such views, there are, doubtless, many in Jamaica; but there are many more who have thought more deeply on the subject, and who have come to the conclusion that Slavery is the cause of the war, and that it is ordained its result shall be the death of Slavery. There are those who declare that Mr. LINCOLN'S Government is the true representation of a party to which Anti-Slavery principles were only profession. Such people cannot appreciate the high motives which guide men like LINCOLN and SEWARD. They forget that, sworn to maintain the Constitution and protect the institutions of the country, these men could not use the power at their disposal to knock Slavery on the head. They would falsify their oath. The advantage of their position was to be seen through a different medium, which those who are rendered blind by prepossession, of course, cannot behold. It hardly needed action on their part to affect Slavery. The very fact that they, as men avowing Anti-Slavery principles, were called to power in the States, proved at once the tendency of popular feeling. It proved that the nation was becoming Anti-Slavery, and that the doom of the accursed system was only a matter of time. But there is a vast deal more to place the character of the Lincoln Government in an honorable light before the world. Look at the many steps which Congress has taken during this Administration to favor universal liberty. Consider the effects of three or four great movements—the Emancipation Aid act—the abolition of Slavery in the District of Columbia—the execution of the pirate GORDON, and the concession of the "Right of Search." Do these not give earnest of the truly Anti-Slavery principles of Mr. LINCOLN and his Cabinet?

It might appear unaccountable that I should devote so much of a news letter in dealing with a matter that concerns yourselves and on which you must naturally know a great deal more than I can ever hope to learn; but I have given the matter this prominence because the impression is abroad that Jamaica, too, had sympathy with the South. It is no such thing. Our hope is universal emancipation, and we feel that to attain that end the North, and the North alone, must be the instrumentality. A very large section of the people of this island pray for the success of the North, and hope anxiously for its final triumph. This prayer was breathed among hundreds at a great Anti-Slavery meeting held at Mr. PHILLIPPO'S chapel on the 1st of August to celebrate the anniversary of West Indian emancipation.

I have alluded to Mexico. A sudden interest in that question has been excited here, by a rumor that, with the permission of Her Britannic Majesty's Government, Jamaica is to become the depôt for the French troops destined to operate against Mexican independence. There is something incredible about the news. The statement is that about the month of October, something like 20,000 French troops will concentrate in Jamaica.

In my previous letter, I mentioned the failure of the provision crop: though the long prevalence of "Revival," and the sufferings which the people were enduring for the want of food. Two weeks ago corn-meal was sold at $11 a barrel, and wheaten flour at from $17 to $18. I am happy to say that within the last week, there have been several arrivals with breadstuffs, and that prices have in consequence gone down.

By the last packet the intelligence reached us that the British Government has consented to compromise with us a debt we owe them of £250,000 for an annuity perpetually of £6,400 per annum, which annuity is to be expended for the benefit of the colony. The mother country has, for once, been liberal.

Far more gratifying was another piece of intelligence received. It is stated that, henceforth Jamaica is to be made the depôt of the Royal Mail Company's steamers. If this arrangement be carried out the City of Kingston will benefit to the extent of at least £50,000 per annum. If it is carried out, I should say the mother country is learning to be considerate toward this colony.

If I mistake not, I have already informed you that our last quarter's revenue shows a surplus of £15,000. Will you not say we are improving?

The Circuit Court for the July term has been brought to a close. The calendars showed a long array of crime. There were no less than forty-two cases for the precinct, among them a charge of murder and another for attempting to murder. It is gratifying to state, however, that in all other parts of the island crime appears to be on the decrease.

There is a movement going forward throughout the island for raising subscriptions towards the Prince Consort Memorial Fund.

Jamaica cotton has been highly prized at the Great Exhibition. In fact, the colony has altogether come off with flying colors from the World's Fair. She has obtained seventy prizes and sixty-four honorable mentions.

The *Plantagenet* sails at 2 o'clock.

PERSONAL.

—MR. Wendell Phillips publishes the following card in the Boston *Transcript*:

BOSTON, Aug. 14, 1862.

MY DEAR SIR: You inclose me the card of three persons, styling themselves "Directors of the Illinois Central Company," misquoting one of my speeches, and stating that *they did not know me*. I presume this is true. That I neither claimed their acquaintance, nor quoted their opinions, you will see by the copy of my speech which I inclose. Whether these persons agree or disagree with me in my estimate of Gen. MCCLELLAN, as dilatory and utterly unable to say yes and no, their card does not inform us. They carefully avoid giving any opinion upon this, the main point concerned. It is, however, of no consequence, as my statement rests on sufficient authority, fully as trustworthy, to say the least, as any they could furnish.

With thanks for your courtesy,

Yours, truly, WENDELL PHILLIPS.

S. C. CLARK, Esq., Chicago.

—The Columbus (Ohio) *Journal* publishes the following telegram from Gen. Morgan at Cumberland Gap:

AUG. 11, *via* MT. VERNON, Aug. 16, 1862.

There is very undue excitement on the subject of the rebel demonstrations in East Tennessee. You have no cause for anxiety. Health good.

GEO. W. MORGAN.

—Henry Hammond, a resident of the island lying at the entrance of Gardner's Bay, L. I., attempted to murder his wife on Saturday last, and then tried to commit suicide. With a dirk knife, which he deliberately purchased for the purpose, he inflicted no less than fourteen gashes upon various parts of her person, and then drew the same weapon across his own throat, and stabbed himself in the side with such violence as to break a rib. Neither his own wounds, however, nor those which he inflicted upon his wife, are likely to prove fatal. Jealousy was the cause of the terrible deed. Hammond is now in jail at Greenport.

—Dr. Thomas M. Hope, of Alton, Ill., has been arrested and confined in the Penitentiary at that place, charged with too freely ventilating his sympathies with the rebels. In reply to an application for permission to use a hall which he owned as a drill room, he stated that "no Federal officer could have it for any such purpose." He "wanted nothing to do with those whose hands were dripping with the blood of his friends in the South."

—Gen. Dumont has published a card, denying that he ever declared that this war would continue until the Democrats were reinstated in authority. He consents to become a candidate for a seat in the next Congress, but will not do anything to secure an election which may interfere with his military duties.

—Senator Doolittle, of Wisconsin, is mourning the death of a son, a Lieutenant on Gen. Hamilton's Staff. He died of typhoid fever which he contracted at Corinth.

—Gen. Fremont and family are now on a brief visit to Major Haskell, of Gloucester, Mass., formerly one of his Staff.

—Capt. Ezra Nye and Mr. Tillinghast, of Clinton Township, N. J., have offered $500 each to a fund for volunteers from that township.

—Gen. Geary is rapidly recovering from the wound which he received in the battle of Slaughter Mountain. His arm will be saved.

—Mayor Bemis, of Springfield, Mass., has issued an order enjoining upon the police special vigilance in the arrest of skedaddlers.

—The funeral of Major Albert S. Ingalls, of the Mexart Regiment, was held at West Cambridge, Mass., on Aug. 18.

—Mr. Thurlow Weed, it is said, will go to Europe at an early day, on business of great importance for the Government.

—Col. Porter, of Niagara Falls, is recovering from his recent severe illness, and is now with his regiment.

—Col. Fiala, of Gen. Fremont's Staff, was in St. Louis, *en route* to New-York, on Friday last.

—Ex-Gov. Fairbanks, of Vermont, is visiting the copper mines at Lake Superior.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Aug. 20, 1862—6 P. M.

The reported receipts of the principal kinds of Produce, since our last, have been: 59 bbls. Ashes, 13,200 bbls. Flour, 604 bbls. and 190 bags Corn Meal, 29,137 bushels Wheat, 14,395 bushels Corn, 26,975 bushels Oats, 1,000 bushels Malt, 2,287 pkgs. Provisions, and 764 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Are quiet yet firm, at $6 81¼@$6 87½ for Pots, and $7 for Pearls, ℔ 100 lbs. Stock in the Inspection Warehouse, this morning, 416 bbls., including 349 bbls. Pots and 67 bbls. Pearls.

BEESWAX—Western Yellow is in request, at 36c. @37c. ℔ lb.

CANDLES—Are inactive at former rates.

COAL—Has been sparingly dealt in at previous quotations.

COFFEE—Has been inactive to-day, yet held firmly.

COPPER—Refined Ingot has been in limited demand, at 24½c., cash, ℔ lb.

COTTON—Is in rather more demand at former rates; Middlings, 46c.@46½c. ℔ lb.

DYEWOODS—Have been quiet at unaltered figures.

FEATHERS—A moderate inquiry prevails for Live Geese, at 40c.@42c. ℔ lb.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been in very moderate demand, to-day, though prices have again declined slightly. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 14,200 bbls., including Superfine State, at $4 85@$5 05; inferior to choice extra State at $5 10@$5 40; superfine Western, inferior to choice, at $4 80@$5 05; extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, &c., at $5 15@$6 20; round hoop extra Ohio, shipping brands, at $5 35@$5 55 ℔ bbl.

Superfine State	$4 85	@$5 05
Extra State	5 10	@ 5 40
Superfine Western	4 80	@ 5 05
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	5 15	@ 6 20
Extra Ohio, round hoop, shipping brds	5 35	@ 5 55
Extra Ohio, trade brands	5 60	@ 6 25
Extra Genesee	5 50	@ 6 75
Interior to Choice Extra Missouri	5 50	@ 6 75

Southern Flour is in limited demand, at drooping rates. Sales 1,100 bbls., at $5 30@$5 85 for poor to good superfine Baltimore, &c.; $5 90@$7 for fancy to choice extra brands, and $7 50@$8 50 for very superior family brands, ℔ bbl. Canadian Flour is depressed and declining. Sales 1,000 bbls. extra, at $5 15@$6 25 ℔ bbl. Rye Flour is in request, at $3@$4 30 for fine and superfine, ℔ bbl. Corn Meal is in fair demand, at $5 30 for Jersey; $3 70 for Fairfax, and $3 75 for Brandywine, ℔ bbl. Sales 400 bbls.

FOREIGN LIQUORS—Business has been less active, but prices have been well supported.

FRUIT—The demand has been quite moderate for all kinds at former quotations.

GRAIN—Wheat has been less sought after by shippers and prices have been depressed. The receipts have been limited, but receivers have been eager to sell. The reported sales, since our last, comprise 153,000 bush., to arrive, including White Michigan, (new,) at $1 50; White Western, inferior to fair, at $1 38@$1 43; Amber Western at $1 35@$1 38, chiefly $1 36; Red Western, (Winter,) at $1 28@$1 34; Amber Iowa and Wisconsin, at $1 24@$1 25½; Milwaukee Club, $1 17@$1 23; Chicago Spring, $1 11@$1 20, and New White Kentucky at $1 56 ℔ bushel. Corn is heavy and prices are tending downward. Sales since our last 102,000 bushels, at 59c.@61c., chiefly 59c.@60c., for shipping Mixed Western; 62c. for very choice do.; 53c.@58½c. for Eastern do.; 47c.@52½c. for unsound do., do., and 70c. for White Western, ℔ bushel. Rye continues in demand at 77c.@83c. ℔ bushel. Barley is unchanged. Oats are in fair request, including Canada, at 50c.@52c.½; Western at 50c.@53c., and State at 53c.@55c. ℔ bushel.

HAY—North River bale is less plenty and is wanted at 70c.@80c., for shipment and local use, ℔ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Continue in moderate demand at uniform rates, including last year's crop, at 15c.@21c. ℔ lb.

IRON—Has been very quiet at former prices.

LATHS—Eastern are down to $1@$1 05 ℔ 1,000.

LEAD—Pig has been in less demand, yet stiffly held.

MOLASSES—Sales have been limited to-day, having been confined to small lots of Porto Rico at 37c.; Cuba Muscovado at 30c.@32c., and 30 half bbls. New-Orleans at 37c. ℔ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—All kinds have been quiet. Spirits Turpentine, $2 24 ℔ gallon; Common Resin, $13 ℔ 280 lbs.

OILS—A fair inquiry prevails for the principal kinds, at our revised quotations: Crude Sperm, at $1 35@$1 40; Crude Whale, at 57c.@60c.; Unbleached Winter Sperm, at $1 55; do. Spring do., at $1 50; Bleached Winter Whale, at 70c.; do. Spring do., at 68c.; Olive, at $1 35@$1 40; Linseed, at 91c.; No. 1 Winter Lard, at 72c.@75c.; City Red, at 47c.@50c. Crude Petroleum, at 16½c.@18c., and Refined Petroleum, at 28c.@35c., per gallon.

New-Bedford Market Week ending Aug. 18—Sperm—Since our last considerable demand has sprung up, both for export and home consumption, and prices have improved. The transactions include sales of 1,850 bbls., in parcels, as follows: For export, 1,071 bbls., at $1 35 ℔ gallon; and to the trade 136 bbls., at $1 35, 433 do. at $1 36, and 60 do. $1 40, ℔ gallon. Also, 150 bbls. inferior, at a price not transpired. Whale—The market for Whale Oil has been very brisk since our last, the demand being largely for export, and prices have again advanced to 60c., at which the market is firm. The sales embrace 14,710 bbls. in parcels. We quote: 1,100 bbls. at 57c., 2,925 do. at 57½c., 3,685 do. at 58c., 1,900 do. at 58¾c., 1,700 do. at 59c., and 3,400 do. at 60c. ℔ gallon—11,000 bbls. for export and the balance for home use. *Whalebone*—Sales for the week, 2,100 lbs. Ochotsk, at 78c., and 1,300 lbs. South Sea, at 60c.

Imports of Sperm and Whale Oil and Whalebone into the United States.

	Bbls. Sp.	Bbls. Wh.	Lbs. Bone.
From Jan. 1 to Aug. 18, '62	35,318	87,693	631,150
Same time last year	45,034	105,947	842,300

—[*Whalemen's Shipping List.*

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in fair request, and quoted up to $11 75@$12, chiefly $12 for Mess and $10@$10 12½ for Prime, ℔ bbl. Sales 2,500 bbls. Cut Meats are in fair demand at 5¾c.@6¾c. for Hams, and 3¾c.@4¾c. for Shoulders ℔ lb. Bacon is quiet at 5¼c. @ 7c. ℔ lb. Lard is salable and firm. Sales 1,350 tcs. and bbls. in lots at 8¾c.@9¼c. ℔ lb. Beef is quiet but steady. Sales 200 bbls. at $14 75@$15 12½ for Extra Mess, and $13 50@$14 for Plain Mess ℔ bbl.; Prime Mess, $19@$20 ℔ tierce. Beef Hams $13 50@$14 75 ℔ bbl. Butter is in demand at 10c@15c. for poor to choice Western, and 11c.@18c. for poor to choice State ℔ lb. Cheese is salable and steady at 5½c.@8¾c. ℔ lb.

RICE—Has been inactive at former figures.

SUGARS—The demand has been moderate; prices have not varied materially. Sales 900 hhds., including Cuba at 8¾c.@9¼c., and New-Orleans at 8¾c.@9¾c. ℔ lb.; also 463 hhds. and 170 bbls. New-Orleans, by auction, at $8 93¾@$9 68¾ ℔ 100 lbs.

TALLOW—Sales to-day, 45,000 lbs. at 10¾c.@10¾c. ℔ lb. The business of the week Messrs. KNIGHT & SONS notice thus: "The reaction in Exchange and dullness of Freights has induced more animation, and the orders, though not very general, have been heavy. In view of the consequent reduction of stock and moderate arrivals, holders evince more firmness, and prices, especially for City, are higher. Inferior and Grease are in fair demand for home use, but are in light stock, and held firmly. To-day the market is inactive. Choice lots have been selling at 10¾c.; 10¾c. is now demanded by some, but we know of no transactions at this figure. Price this date, 1858, 9¾c.; 1859, 10¾c.; 1860, 10c.; 1861, 8¾c. ℔ lb."

TOBACCO—Kentucky has been in fair demand at full prices; sales, 372 hhds., at 11c.@20¾c. ℔ lb. Other kinds have been quiet.

WHISKY—Sales, 500 bbls., in lots, at 31c.@32c. ℔ gallon.

FREIGHTS—Engagements were light, to-day, at our quotations: For Liverpool—Flour, 3s. 6d. ℔ bbl.; Wheat, in bulk and bags, 11d.@12d.; Corn, 11d.@11½d.; Beef, 6s. ℔ tce.; Pork, 4s. 6d.@5s. ℔ bbl.; Bacon and Lard, 37s. 6d.; Butter and Cheese, 40s.; Tallow, 35s.@37s. 6d. ℔ ton. For Glasgow—Flour, 3s. 9d.@4s. ℔ bbl.; Grain, 12d.@12¾d. ℔ bushel; Pork, 4s. 6d.@5s. ℔ bbl.; Beef, 7s. ℔ tce.; Bacon and Lard, 40s.; Butter and Cheese, 42s. 6d.@45s.; Tallow, 37s. 6d. ℔ ton. For Cork and orders, two British barks, with Wheat in bulk, at 12½d. ℔ bushel. For Belfast—An American bark, with Grain, at 11¾d. ℔ bushel. For London—Flour, 3s. 9d. ℔ bbl.; Grain, 12c.@12¾c. ℔ bushel; Pork, 5s. ℔ bbl.; Beef, 7s. ℔ tce.; Butter and Cheese, 45s.; Bacon and Lard, 40s.@42s. 6d.; Tallow, 37s. 6d. ℔ ton. The latest charters, according to the *Shipping List*, have been: Two ships, 1,000 tons each, from Chincha Islands to Antwerp, Guano, at 75s.; a bark, 195 tons, to Malaga and back, $3,200; a brig, 229 tons, to Greytown, Nicaragua, and back, $4,000; a British brig, 206 tons, from Norfolk to West Indies, Staves, $20; a bark, 312 tons, to Havana, $4,000; a ship, 1,809 tons, to Great Britain or the Continent; a Prussian bark, 800 tons, to the Continent; two vessels, on French Government account, to Vera Cruz; a British brig, 263 tons, to Turks Island and back; and thirty to thirty-five ships, barks, brigs and schooners, on Government account, for transport, &c., service, on terms not made public.

Movements of European Steamers.

FROM EUROPE.

Europa	Liverpool	Boston	Aug. 9
Teutonia	Southampton	New-York	Aug. 13
City of New-York	Liverpool	New-York	Aug. 13
Hibernian	Liverpool	Quebec	Aug. 14
Persia	Liverpool	New-York	Aug. 16
Great Eastern	Liverpool	New-York	Aug. 16
Bremen	Southampton	New-York	Aug. 20
City of Washington	Liverpool	New-York	Aug. 20
Asia	Liverpool	Boston	Aug. 23
Borussia	Southampton	New-York	Aug. 27
Australasian	Liverpool	New-York	Aug. 30
New-York	Southampton	New-York	Sept. 3
Saxonia	Liverpool	New-York	Sept. 10
Bavaria	Southampton	New-York	Sept. 24
Great Eastern	Liverpool	New-York	Oct. 1
Great Eastern	Liverpool	New-York	Nov. 15

FROM AMERICA.

Bavaria	New-York	Southampton	Aug. 23
City of Baltimore	New-York	Liverpool	Aug. 23
Jura	Quebec	Liverpool	Aug. 23
Scotia	New-York	Liverpool	Aug. 27
Hansa	New-York	Southampton	Aug. 30
Glasgow	New-York	Liverpool	Aug. 30
Europa	Boston	Liverpool	Sept. 3
Teutonia	New-York	Southampton	Sept. 6
Great Eastern	New-York	Liverpool	Sept. 9
Persia	New-York	Liverpool	Sept. 10
Asia	Boston	Liverpool	Sept. 17
Great Eastern	New-York	Liverpool	Oct. 25
Great Eastern	New-York	Liverpool	Dec. 11

Departure of European Mails.

The mails for Europe by the steamships *Bavaria* and *City of Baltimore*, will close at the New-York Post-office on Saturday, at 10½ A.M.

Mails Close at the Post-Office.

North Mails close at.....5 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.
South Mails close at.....5 A. M. and 4:30 and 10½ P. M.
Western Mails (*via* Erie Railroad)..5 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.
Eastern Mails close at 5 A. M., 2 P. M., 4 P. M. and 6:30 P. M.
Mails for California, Oregon, Washington and the Sandwich Islands close daily at the New-York Post-office at 6½ A. M. and 3½ P. M.
On Sunday all Mails close at 1:30 P. M.

PERSONAL.

DR. WAIT & SON, NO. 5 BOND-ST., near Broadway, continue to extract teeth positively without pain or danger, under their new chemically-purified chloroform. All dental operations on terms to suit the times. Refer to Drs. Pond, Gilchrist, Stillwell and Baldwin, and Rev. Drs. Ferris and Parker.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

LUMBER-YARD FOR SALE.—THE STOCK, fixtures, good-will and real estate of a well-established lumber-yard, doing a good business, for sale on easy terms; or, the yard would be leased, if preferred; a rare chance for any one desirous of engaging in a paying business. Apply personally or by letter, to the subscriber, on the premises, foot of 130th-st. and North River, Manhattanville, N. Y. W. DUNNING.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN, WITH SOME BUSIness experience, who could superintend the manufacture and sale of an article used by the army. One having an office where the goods could be sold, would have preference. Strict integrity, energy and activity requisite. Address A. K., Box No. 113 *Times* Office.

ROLLING-MILL FOR SALE—ABOUT 30 miles from New-York; is in running order, with complete sets of rolls for iron from ¼ to 1 inch; rounds, squares, ovals and flats; has three furnaces, squeezers, tools, &c. Inquire of HENRY G. NICHOLS, No. 24 Pine-st.

A DRUG-STORE OF FORTY YEARS standing, corner Bowery and Grand-st., for sale to a cash customer; inducements will be offered. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE Phœnix Sugar Refinery, of Brooklyn; is in complete working order. For particulars, inquire of FRANCIS SKIDDY, No. 101 Wall-st.

TO LET.

OFFICES TO LET—IN THE TIMES' BUILDING—Fronting Spruce-st., suitable for lawyers' offices. Inquire in the *Times'* Counting-room.

TO RENT—THE NEW MARBLE BUILDING NO. 464 Broome-st., 25x95 feet, between Mercer and Greene sts., admirably adapted for a light manufacturing business where women are employed. Will accommodate 500 persons. Fitted up with gas, water closets and steam warming apparatus. Apply to ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO., Nos. 309 and 311 Canal-st., or JOHN LLOYD & SONS, No. 15 Nassau-st.

TO LET IN JERSEY CITY—THE PHILADELphia Hotel. The house contains about 40 rooms, is a first-rate location for business, being near the railroad depôt and ferry; rent low. Also, a floor containing 6 rooms and kitchen, three blocks from the ferry; rent low. Inquire of BENJAMIN O. EDGE, No. 124 Washington-st., Jersey City.

HOUSE TO LET—IN JERSEY CITY, A SHORT distance from the ferry, a three-story brown-front house, with gas, bath room, water all over the house; is worth $550 per annum; will be let to a good tenant at $350 per annum; possession given immediately. Apply to EVAN JONES, No. 57 Montgomery-st., Jersey City.

TO RENT.—THE BRICK FRONT HOUSE, NO. 460 Greenwich-st., west side, between Desbrosses and Watts streets; will be rented to a satisfactory tenant until May 1, 1863, for $300, payable in advance. Possession of the entire house will be given immediately. Apply at No 169 Chambers st.

TO LET—A SMALL THREE-STORY, BROWN stone house, in West 20th-st. The house is in perfect order. Address E., No. 6 College-place, up stairs.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET—TO A PRIvate family, in 28th-st., near 4th-av; 13 rooms, with improvements, in perfect order. Apply to No. 58 East 22d-st., from 1 to 3 P. M.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT.—65 EAST 28th-st. Has just been put in order. Apply on the premises every fair day, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 5 P. M. Immediate possession.

TO LET—A SMALL, WELL FURNISHED HOUSE, in a good neighborhood. Terms moderate. Apply at No. 268 4th-av., corner 21st-st., in the store.

SUMMER RESORTS.

PAVILION HOTEL,
ROCKAWAY, L. I.

This magnificent Family Hotel, having been crowded so far during the Summer season by its old friends and patrons, has now a few rooms to let for families, &c.

No better Sea Bathing can be found anywhere. Apply, for terms, &c., to MR. BAINBRIDGE, the Proprietor, as above.

CATSKILL MOUNTAIN HOUSE.—THIS favorite Summer resort is now open for the reception of guests. Visitors will find, at all times, an authorized agent at the Catskill steamboat-landings and Catskill stations of Hudson River Railroad, to assist visitors, provide conveyance, take charge of baggage &c.

LOST AND FOUND.

$10 REWARD IS OFFERED (AND NO questions asked) for the return of 7-30 Treasury Note No. 49,110 or 49,113, payable to the order of EDWIN E. ENGLAND, all the coupons attached, but not indorsed. All persons are forbidden to purchase or negotiate the same. EDWIN E. ENGLAND, No. 162 West 17th-st.

$50 REWARD.—LOST, YESTERDAY AFTERnoon, from on board of the steamer *Isaac Newton*, a black CARPET BAG, marked B. P. Kissam, containing clothes. Whoever will return said bag to the office of KISSAM & TAYLOR, No. 36 Wall-st., will be paid the above reward and no questions asked.

FOUND—IN THE CARS OF THE RARITAN AND Delaware Bay Railroad, a package of MONEY. The owner can have the same by applying at the office of the Company, No. 65 Beaver-st., and proving property.

MARBLE WORKS.

MARBLE MANTELS.

Mantels sold at astonishingly low prices at KLABER'S Marble Yards, No. 54 First-av., near Third-st., and No. 109 East 18th-st., near 3d-av., N. Y. Mantels put up in any part of the country.

MARBLE AND SLATE MANTELS.—$30,000 worth of enameled slate mantels; imitation of the most costly marbles now in use; will be sold 25 per cent. below manufacturers prices. Also, marble mantels, monuments and tomb-stones.

WM. S. SEE & CO., No. 596 Hudson-st.

FURNITURE.

ENAMELED CHAMBER FURNITURE.—THE best assortment in the City of enameled furniture in all colors and styles; walnut and chestnut, plain and ornamental, in suites, wholesale and retail; also mattresses and paillasses. WARREN WARD, Manufacturer, No. 277 Canal-st.

SOMETHING NEW.—CALL AND SEE PAYNE'S patent Wardrobe Bedstead, also his patent folding Mosquito Bar, the cheapest and best in use, at GRIFFIN'S, No. 181 Canal-st., near Mott.

WEDDING & VISITING CARDS

AT GIMBREDE'S, NO. 388 BROADWAY—Wedding cards, envelopes, note-paper, monograms, seals, albums, &c., at reasonable prices. See the $4 album, (50 pictures,) sold at $3; others proportionately cheap.

LADIES' HOME FOR SICK AND WOUNDED SOLDIERS.—The Board of Directors beg leave to remind their friends and the public of the urgent necessities of more than 100 sick and wounded soldiers now under their care. They are daily expecting large accessions. Money, flannel and plain cotton shirts, canton-flannel drawers, pantaloons, slippers, and calico gowns, are very much needed. Provisions, delicacies, wines and liquors, will be thankfully received at the "Home," corner of Lexington-av. and 31st-st. All articles sent to the American Express Co., corner Hudson and Jay sts., and Nos. 124 and 542 Broadway, will be sent free of charge.

AUCTION SALES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE.
BALTIMORE, Aug. 19, 1862.

A large amount of CORN and a quantity of OATS, condemned as unfit for Government use, will be offered for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION at "WEST WARE-HOUSES" and LOCUST POINT, on TUESDAY, 26th day of August, 1862. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., at West Warehouses.

TERMS—Cash in Government funds.

JAMES BELGER,
Colonel and Quartermaster.

[*New-York Times*, Philadelphia *Inquirer*, Pittsburgh *Gazette*, and Cincinnati *Commercial* please copy four times.]

E. H. LUDLOW, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PASSAIC, N. J., AT AUCTION.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, Aug. 22, 1862, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway—

Several fine plots of land, containing in all 68 acres, on the west bank of the Passaic River, and 25 minutes from New-York; will be sold in plots of from 10 to 30 acres, on one of which there is fine improvements. Full particulars at the office of the Auctioneer, No. 3 Pine-st.

JOHN H. BURLEY, Auctioneer.

WILL SELL THIS DAY AT 2 O'CLOCK, AT No. 444 Canal-st., bureaus, sofa-beds, lounges, washstands, bedsteads, chairs, tables, looking-glasses, beds and bedding, mattresses, carpets, matting, oil-cloths, lot fancy goods, &c.

GEORGE COOK, Auctioneer.

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at store No 141 Broadway, a large and varied stock of first-class, City made furniture for railroads, libraries, reception rooms, dining rooms, &c. See particulars in catalogues.

MILTON H. BURNS, Auctioneer.

600 CASES BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS, at auction, on THURSDAY, August 21, at 10½ o'clock, at Store of J. F. Davis & Co., No. 16 Cortlandt-st, comprising a fresh assortment of desirable goods, suitable for city and country trade.

DRY GOODS.

GREAT ATTRACTION!

UNPARALLELED BARGAINS.

STILL GREATER REDUCTION
IN PRICES OF
RICH SILKS, DRESS GOODS, CLOAKS, SACQUES, and MANTILLAS, at the
GREAT CLEARING OUT SALE OF
CHARLES HEARD & CO.,
No. 301 GRAND-ST.
(Previous to taking Stock.)

$20,000 WORTH RICH SILKS, MARKED DOWN.
$15,000 WORTH RICH DRESS GOODS, MARKED DOWN.
$10,000 WORTH PURE LINENS AND FAMILY GOODS, MARKED DOWN.
$12,000 WORTH RICH MANTILLAS and CLOAKS, MARKED DOWN.

Notwithstanding the great advance in price of Cotton Goods, we shall continue to sell our present large stock of DOMESTIC GOODS ($30,000 worth) at the reduced price as long as we have a piece left; and we beg leave to suggest to our patrons the propriety of supplying themselves without delay, for they are already rapidly advancing in price.

CHARLES HEARD & CO., No. 301 Grand-st.

LADIES, THIS IS THE LAST MONTH for nice-fitting dollar corsets, 50c. skirts, and the fine 25c. stockings, cheap hair nets, gloves, fancy goods, Zephyr worsted, yarns and small wares. This month prices must advance. Now is the time to save money. Send your orders and postage stamps. N. B.—Premium allowed on silver and gold.

ELGER'S Nos. 880 and 882 Broadway, near 19th-st.

NOTICE.—EAST INDIA AND INDIAN GOODS in every variety, wholesale and retail. FOUNTAIN'S India Store, No. 653 Broadway.

COUNTRY RESIDENCES.

FOR SALE—THE VERY DESIRABLE PREMises No. 423 Broad-st., in the city of Newark, N. J., the homestead of the late Wm. Shugard, deceased. The house is brick, has fifteen rooms, all modern improvements, and in perfect order; lot is 58 feet front and rear by 350 feet deep, extending through to Orchard-st., well stocked with choice fruit, in full bearing, and fine stables. It is convenient to the depôt, and one of the most desirable residences in the city. Price $25,000; terms easy. Apply to WM. A. RIGHTER, Executor, No. 264 Broad-st. Newark, N. J.

FOR SALE AT SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.—The property of the undersigned, comprising a frame house, 35 feet square, with an addition on the kitchen, a good cellar, four rooms on the first floor, six on the second, and three finished rooms in the attic; one and a half acres of ground, two cisterns, a never-failing well of excellent water; also, barn and poultry-house. The property is all in first-rate order, and only about five minutes' walk from the railroad depôt. For further particulars apply at the office of the Hazard Powder Company, No. 89 Wall-st., or on the premises. D. B. DENSLOW.

WEST BLOOMFIELD, N. J.—$6,500.—For sale, cheap, an excellent house, of twelve rooms, cellar and attic; large barn, corn-house, seven acres, fine grafted fruit, permanent stream, good well and cistern, fine view of mountain, half mile from station, and one hour from New-York. Apply at the Congress Sugar Refinery, No. 345 Washington-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—FURNISHED AND UNFURnished houses, beautifully situated, one hour from New-York, to let for the season or year; also, country seats, farms and villa sites to rent and for sale low, by HENRY B. BLACKWELL, No. 59 William-st., New-York, 9 to 11 A. M.; No. 48 Main-st., Orange, 1 to 5 P. M.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN.—PLEASANT suites of rooms for families, or single gentlemen; convenient to Wall, South, or Fulton Ferries. Apply at No. 139 Joralemon-st., first house from Court, on three principal car routes. References exchanged.

BOARD ON BROOKLYN HEIGHTS—Wanted, by a gentlemen, his wife and little daughter, with one servant; private family preferred; accommodations must be first-class, and for such a liberal sum will be paid. Address BOARD, Box No. 109 *Times* Office.

BOARD ON BROOKLYN HEIGHTS.—Pleasant rooms, with board, may be obtained in a private family, by applying at No. 102 Henry-st. The situation is desirable, being within five minutes of Wall and Fulton Ferries. Unexceptionable reference required.

BROOKLYN—NO. 16 CLINTON-ST.—PLEASANT apartments for families or single gentlemen. All modern conveniences have been introduced, making the house especially desirable for those seeking a comfortable home. Convenient to Wall-st. and Fulton ferries. Reference required.

BOARD WANTED IN SOUTH BROOKLYN—By a gentleman, his wife and adult daughter; a good and respectable location desired, within five minutes' walk of the City Hall. Rooms furnished or unfurnished. References exchanged. Address P. O., Box No. 216.

ROOM WANTED—UNFURNISHED, WITH board on Sundays, in a private family, by a single woman. Must be north of 4th-st. and east of 7th-av. Address N. Y., Box No. 159 *Times* Office.

COUNTRY BOARD.

STRAWBERRY FARMS FAMILY HOTEL NEAR RED BANK, MONMOUTH CO., NEW-JERSEY. Delightfully situated near Long Branch and Shrewsbury. Accessible at 6 A. M. and 4 P. M. daily, by Raritan and Delaware Bay R. R. and Shrewsbury boats, from foot of Murry-st. Terms per week, $5 to $7. Superior accommodations for families. Beautiful shady walks and drives, and a small lake, with boats, in the vicinity. A large hall, with music, for social enjoyment. For circulars, address WARREN & DAY, Colt's Neck, N. J. Refers to W. H. Mills, 377 6th-av., and J. T. S. Smith, 484 Broadway.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FAMILIES CAN BE ACcommodated with country board at Fort Montgomery, Orange County, N. Y., on the banks of the Hudson River, in the Highlands, 45 miles from the City. Terms from $5 to $6, according to rooms. Apply to JOHN H. HALL, by letter, or in person, at the abovenamed place. Reference can be given by Mr. Sheldon, No. 48 Morton-st., Brooklyn.

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—BY A GENtleman until about the 1st of October, in the vicinity of and of easy access to City. Address E. L. H., Box No. 145 *Times* Office.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FIVE ROOMS CAN BE had by applying to, or addressing J. C. WOOLLEY, Long Branch. House private. Whooping cough not objected to.

FARMS.

FARM FOR SALE OF SEVENTY ACRES.—Or would exchange for a farm on Long Island of 70 acres. The location is very superior, being situated between Bath House and Fort Hamilton, along shore; land fertile; for a farmer or a gentleman requiring a country seat, there is no better opportunity offered in the country. The farm is in a very high state of cultivation, has a water-front of 400 or 500 feet; buildings, &c., in a perfect state. Apply to M. S. BENNETT, on the premises.

A FARM OF 155 ACRES FOR SALE OR exchange, located 6 miles from Saratoga Springs, on a fine road and good neighborhood; 12 acres of wood, the balance plow and pasture land, all of which is under a high state of cultivation. The location is unsurpassed for beauty of scenery or for health. A fair trade will be entertained in exchange for City property or merchandise. Principals only treated with.

B. C. THOMPSON, No. 70 Liberty-st.

WANTED TO HIRE—A SMALL FARM, WITH house and barn, within six miles of this City. Address

FINANCIAL.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

REGULAR SALE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.
ALBERT H. NICOLAY
Will sell THIS DAY, (Thursday,) Aug. 21, at 12½ o'clock, at the Stock Salesroom, No. 52 William-st.,

20 Gt. Wes. Mar. Ins.	$100	28 Union Bank	$50
100 Kings Co. Ins.	20	40 Knickerbocker Ins.	40
80 Am. Ex. Ins.	100	13 Wmsbgh City Ins.	50
30 N. Y. & N. H. R., genuine	100	20 Imp. & Trad. Ins.	50
15 Hanover Bank	100	10 Home Ins.	100
5 Col. Marine Ins.	100	100 Brooklyn Cen. R	50
14 Market Bank	100	40 Harmony Ins.	50

1,000 shares Florence and Keyport Joint Stock Co.
40 shares Great Western Railroad Co., (Ill.,) $100.
$5,000 City of Quincy 8 per cent. Bonds.
$2,000 Chicago City 6 per cent. Bonds.
$10,000 Racine and Mississippi R. 1st mort. E. D. Bonds.
ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer and Stock Broker, No. 52 William-st.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES
OF ALL ISSUES,
GOLD, STOCKS, BONDS AND EXCHANGE,
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Offers his services at the Board of Brokers for the purchase or sale of
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BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS' CREDITS FOR USE IN THIS COUNTRY AND ABROAD

NOTICE.—CHICAGO, ALTON AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, LATE CHICAGO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD.—Holders of the First and Second Mortgage Bonds, and all the holders of the Receiver's certificates of indebtedness of the above-named Railroad, are hereby required, pursuant to a resolution adopted at the Bondholder's meeting of 9th of July, 1862, to deposit their above-named documents with L. H. MEYER, Chairman of the Trustees, before the 10th day of September, 1862, at No. 25 William-st., Room No. 9.

Attention is called to the third resolution, adopted at the Bondholders' meeting of 23d of July, 1862, according to which parties not complying are subject to be remitted to their rights in their distributive share of the proceeds of sale, and all other and further rights which they may have by virtue of the agreement, to cease.

Those who have not yet subscribed to the agreement, and have not paid their share of advances to the Receiver, can, in accordance with the last resolution, adopted at Bondholders' meeting of 9th of July, 1862, now become parties to said agreement by subscribing and paying at the office of Messrs. M. K. JESUP & CO., No. 44 Exchange-place, before the 15th day of September, 1862.
L. H. MEYER, Chairman of Trustees.

OFFICE OF THE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY.—NEW-YORK, Aug. 6, 1862.—Holders of the Second Mortgage Bonds of the New-York and Erie Railroad Company, extended to 1879, are notified that the interest due Sept. 1, 1862, will be paid on and after that date, at this office, on presentation of the proper coupons. It will be necessary for the holders of bonds not thus extended to present them at the office of the Company, where they can receive the principal and interest to Sept. 1, 1863. The privilege of extending such bonds will cease at that date. H. N. OTIS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, Aug. 18, 1862.
NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The Stockholders of this Company are hereby notified that books of transfer have been opened at the Agency in New-York. Stockholders who wish their stock registered in the New-York books will please forward their certificates to this Office or to WINSLOW, LANIER & CO., Transfer Agents, New-York. G. W. CASS, President.

NOTICE TO THE HOLDERS OF THE WATERTOWN AND ROME RAILROAD SINKING FUND BONDS.—Sealed proposals for the sale to the Company of the whole or any part of eight thousand dollars of their Sinking Fund Bonds will be received until the 1st of September. Address to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the Watertown and Rome Railroad Company, Box No. 3,505 Post-office.

MONEY.—PERSONS REQUIRING TEMPORARY accommodation are requested to procure a prospectus of the Mutual Loan and Discount Company, No. 57 Chatham-st. Business bills promptly discounted.
URWICK & KING, Agents.

DEMAND NOTES FOR DUTIES, IN SUMS to suit, for sale by
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
No. 34 Wall-st., New-York.

CALIFORNIA STATE AND SAN FRANCISCO CITY Interest Coupons purchased at lowest current rates by DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., Bankers.
Corner Pine and Nassau sts., New-York.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 31 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, Aug. 11, 1862.
DIVIDEND.—The Directors have this day declared a cash dividend of five (5) per cent., payable to stockholders on demand, and a scrip dividend of thirty (30) per cent. on the "Earned Participating Premiums" of the past year; (said earned participating premiums amounting to $103,000;) also an interest dividend of six (6) per cent. on outstanding scrip. The scrip certificates will be ready for delivery on and after the 15th day of October next. By order of the Board.
RICHARD L. MAYDOCK, Secretary.

TRINITY BUILDING, No. 111 BROADWAY,
OFFICE OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COAL COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 13, 1862.
A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF THREE and a half (3½) per cent. has been declared on the capital stock of the PENNSYLVANIA COAL COMPANY, payable at the office in the City of New-York on and after SATURDAY, the 16th of August inst. The transfer books will be closed from the 12th to the 16th inst., both inclusive. GEO. A. HOYT, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.,
No. 88 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Aug. 12, 1862.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) per Cent., out of the net earnings of the past (3) three months, payable at the office of the Company on and after FRIDAY, 22d inst.
The transfer book will close on the 14th, and reopen on the 25th inst. By order of the Board.
F. W. G. BELLOWS, Secretary pro tem.

CLINTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, June 28, 1862.
DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Company have this day declared a Semi-annual Dividend of Five (5) Per Cent., payable on demand.
JAS. B. AMES, Jr., Secretary.

INSURANCE.

CLINTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Office No. 52 Wall-st., New-York.
CASH CAPITAL $250,000, WITH A LARGE SURPLUS.
DIRECTORS:

HUGH LAING,	NOAH S. HUNT,
EFF'GHAM TOWNSEND,	THOMAS SMULL,
CHAS. R. SWORDS,	J. H. RANSOM,
JOHN PENFOLD,	GEO. A. TOWNSEND,
JOHN COMPTON,	DON ALONZO CUSHMAN.
D. HENRY HAIGHT,	JOS. SMITH,
JOSEPH LAWRENCE,	SYLVEST'R L. H. WARD,
LEONARDO S. SUAREZ,	ALVE. E. LAING,
SILAS BRONSON,	ROBERT M. BRUCE,
A. R. ENO,	JOHN SCOTT BOYD,
JOHN WATSON,	A. YZNAGA DEL VALLE,
SAMUEL WILLETTS,	HENRY S. LEVERICH,
S. T. NICOLL,	LAWRENCE TURNURE,
GEO. GRISWOLD, Jr.,	JOHN J. WALKER.

HUGH LAING, President.
JAMES B. AMES, Jr., Secretary.

SAVINGS BANKS

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE CROTON AQUEDUCT BOARD,
August 18, 1862.
TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED PROPOSALS, indorsed "Proposal for sewer in Vestry-street, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., of Saturday, August 30, 1862:
For the construction of a sewer in Vestry-street, from Hudson to Greenwich-street.
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THOMAS B. TAPPEN,
A. W. CRAVEN,
Croton Aqueduct Board.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON, July 25, 1862.
WASHINGTON AQUEDUCT.—PROPOSALS will be received at this Department until 12 o'clock M. on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of August, for completing the distributing reservoir of the Washington Aqueduct. Plans and specifications may be seen after the 12th of August.
Proposals to be sealed, indorsed "Proposals for Reservoir, and directed to "Hon. Caleb B. Smith, Secretary of the Interior, Washington."
WALTER J. SMITH, Chief Clerk.

OFFICE OF WASHINGTON AQUEDUCT, Aug. 6, 1862.
PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL the 26th day of August, 1862, for the completion of the auxiliary pipe vault of the Washington Aqueduct.
Plans and specifications can be obtained at this office.
Proposals to be sealed, indorsed "Proposals for Pipe Vault," and addressed to "Hon. CALEB B. SMITH, Secretary of the Interior, Washington."
WM. R. HUTTON, Chief Engineer.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, New-York, Aug. 8, 1862.
PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office, until the 23d instant, for supplying shipchandlery for the revenue cutters and boats on this station, for the remainder of the fiscal year, ending 30th June, 1863. Lists of the articles required will be furnished, on application at this office.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, IN AND FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT.—WISTAR MORRIS, a holder of Bonds secured by two certain mortgages of the Quakake Railroad Company, one dated July 1, 1857, the other dated June 29, 1861, as well for himself as for all others holders of Bonds so secured as agreeing to contribute to the expenses of this suit may become parties hereto complainant *vs.* THE QUAKAKE RAILROAD COMPANY, and against William D. Lewis and Charles Hartshorne, Trustees, under and by virtue of said mortgages. In Equity of July Term, 1862. No. 1.—Under and by virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, made in the above entitled cause, upon the eleventh day of June, A. D., 1862, will be exposed to public sale, by vendue or outcry, upon TUESDAY, the thirtieth day of September, A. D., 1862, at 12 o'clock M., at the Philadelphia Exchange, in the city of Philadelphia, by MOSES THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, the following described property, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated, to wit:
The whole of the railroad of the said Quakake Railroad Company, from its junction with the Beaver Meadow Railroad, in Carbon County, State of Pennsylvania, to the point in Rush Township, Schuylkill County, State aforesaid, where the said the Quakake Railroad intersects the Catawissa Railroad, including the right of way, and the road bed and land occupied, or used, in connection with, or for the maintenance of said railroad; and together with the railways, rails, bridges, masonry and other superstructure, and all culverts, turn-tables, side tracks, depôts, stations, buildings and other structures and improvements of every kind and description, connected with the said railroad; and all real estate of every description, and all tolls, rents, issues and profits, accrued and to accrue from the said railroad, or any part thereof, (save only so much as may be necessary for expenses and repairs,) and all the ways, streets, alleys, passages, waters, water courses, easements, franchises, rights, liberties, privileges and appurtenances whatsoever, and generally all the lands, tenements and hereditaments of the said the Quakake Railroad Company.
A more specific and detailed account of some of the items of property included in and referred to in the foregoing description, may be given as follows:
RAILROAD.
which is about fourteen miles in length, and extends westwardly from its junction with the Beaver Meadow Railroad, at the confluence of the Quakake and Black Creeks in Carbon County, along the valley of the Quakake Creek, and that of the east branch of the Little Schuylkill River to the intersection of the said the Quakake Railroad with the Catawissa Railroad, in Rush Township, Schuylkill County. Ten miles of the railroad are graded for a double track. The length of the single track (including sidings) is about fifteen and one-quarter miles. The railroad is constructed in the best manner, and laid with American rails, weighing 56 pounds to the yard. There is one water station and an engine house. There is also an iron turn-table of the best construction, forty-five feet in diameter. The road is provided with all necessary sidings and switches.
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TERMS OF SALE.
The said railroad, property, franchises and premises mentioned in the said two mortgages and hereinbefore described, will be exposed to sale entire and in one lot, and the following terms and conditions will be observed in the making of the said sale, in accordance with the decree of the Court:
The said premises shall be sold to the highest and best bidder; and in case any of the holders of any of the said bonds or coupons intended to be secured by said two mortgages shall become purchasers by themselves or with others, they shall be and are by said decree authorized to deliver their said bonds or coupons to the trustees under said two mortgages, (and acting as in said decree is mentioned,) who shall indorse thereon the shares or dividends, if any, which the holders would be respectively entitled to receive on account of such bonds or coupons, as their portion of the proceeds of sale on distribution, if

ARRIVAL OF THE CHAMPION.

No News at Panama of the Loss of the Golden Gate.

Later from the United States of Colombia, and Central and South America.

CONDITION OF AFFAIRS AT PANAMA.

The Cause of Mosquera in the Ascendant.

Loss of the British Steamer Lima on the South American Coast.

The steamship *Champion*, Capt. WILSON, arrived last night from Aspinwall, which port she left on the 11th inst., bringing $21,165 in specie, and 17 passengers.

The *Champion* was detained at Aspinwall six days, awaiting the arrival of the *Golden Gate*, not having received any intelligence of her loss. She therefore sailed without any California news or papers, as no boat had arrived up to her departure.

She brings the following amount of specie from Aspinwall.

Cutter	$970	Handy & Hoadley	$6,580
Cartwright & Harrison, Jr.	1,300	Parsons & Pettit	965
Ribon & Munoz	11,380		
Total			$21,165

Our correspondence, giving details of intelligence from the United States of Colombia, and Central and South America, will be found below.

UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.

Condition of Affairs in Panama—The Course of Dias as Provisional Governor—Business Dull—Favorable News from the Interior—Naval Affairs, &c.

PANAMA, Monday, Aug. 4, 1862.

Since the pronunciamiento of the 25th, by which Gov. GUARDIA was ousted, and Senor MANUEL MARIA DIAS made Provisional Governor of the State, matters have been very quiet, though progressive. On the same day of the revolt, the new Governor addressed a circular note to all the Consuls, promising that good order should prevail, and that citizens, as well as foreigners, should be properly protected in their persons and property. He appealed to his former record, while Governor of the Province, in the early part of the California emigration, when he certainly acted in the most courageous manner in the protection of the American passengers who then filled all our streets, and who frequently got at loggerheads with the native people. The same day he took possession of all the public offices, records and what little cash there was on hand in the Treasury, as well as all the cuartels and police stations. In this he was aided by Colonel SANTACOLOMA, MOSQUERA'S military commendant here, who gave him a guard of his men for the purpose.

Next day he organized his Government, naming, generally, good men for the posts; of course many of them, as under the old Government, being of "fast colors." A bando was then read in the streets ordering all persons in command of vessels or bungoes trading on the bay coast to report all cargo, passengers and letters to the Prefect of Police, on entering or sailing from this port. Another proclamation ordered all able-bodied citizens to assemble on the Plaza of Santa Ana on the afternoon of Sunday, to be enrolled in the militia for duty if called upon. At this meeting it is said that five hundred and thirty two men enrolled their names. On the 31st, Col. SANTACOLOMA dispatched, at the request of Gov. DIAS, one hundred and twenty-five men, in two vessels, on a secret expedition. The destination appeared to be Agna Dulce, which river in the bay is the outlet for Santiago, the new capital of the legal Governor. Some say this force will be recruited on the route, and will then attack Gov. GUARDIA at Santiago, but I presume it is only intended as a corps of observation to watch and perhaps throw obstacles in the way of any offensive movements on the part of the Governor. Gov. DIAS sold four splendid pieces of bronze cannon, taken from the old Spanish fort at Chagres, for $1,200, to partly defray the expenses of this expedition.

By a late arrival from Santiago, my idea is confirmed that the stories about Gov. GUARDIA having 2,000 men with which to reinstate himself at Panama are false. He had not more than 150 men at command, and it was doubtful if he could raise 500 in all the State for the purpose of attacking the Provisional Governor and Col. SANTACOLOMA in this city.

The time of Gov. GUARDIA expires on the first day of September; and as the war MOSQUERA is now making against the reactionists in the neighboring State of Cauca will probably be brought to a close by that time in his favor, I incline to the belief that the Guardia men will await the result before taking any active measures against Gov. DIAS and his party. In the meantime, the local business of the Isthmus is almost entirely suspended, and the necessaries of life are becoming exorbitantly dear. Rice, which is half the food of the population of the State, and which is raised in abundance on the Isthmus, is retailed at 12 cents per pound. Some of the wholesale merchants in Panama have closed their shops, the trade being insufficient to pay the commercial taxes.

It is reported that Capt. NEIRA, of SANTACOLOMA'S force, who went into the interior to recruit men, was captured by a party under Señor Capt. ANTONIO MORNO, of GUARDIA'S forces, near the town of Penomomé, but satisfactory evidence is received that the story is false.

A large number of the protests of Gen. HERRAN, the Constitutional Minister of New-Granada in Washington, against Gen. MOSQUERA, his father-in-law, in the shape of a heavy pamphlet, reached here by the last mail from New-York, destined for all parts of the Republic. I have not yet found time to read it, but it is said to be exceedingly well written, and bitter as gall on his distinguished relative. It is a pity that political feuds should alienate such exalted position, talent and worth as these two men possess.

Business, as I have said before, is very dull here. The excessive discounts on drafts on the United States, at least 20 per cent., does not tend to help us any. The United States Consul at Panama having refused to allow longer the "commercial tax" to be levied upon the steamship agents, has cut off very largely the income of the State, and left the employes of the Government without salaries—so we are all very poor, and expect to be poorer yet.

Capt. LANMAN, of the United States steam-frigate *Saranac*, at Panama, received orders from Flag-Officer BELL, from San Francisco, by last mail, to cruise on the west coast of Mexico as soon as the United States sloop-of-war *Cyane* should arrive from Valparaiso; but feeling that American interests might need more protection, in the unsettled state of affairs among us, than could be afforded by the small crew of the latter vessel, addressed a communication to the United States Consuls at Panama and Aspinwall, for their opinion on the matter, which I understand is favorable to his remaining. So he will take the responsibility of disobeying his instructions.

The British steamer *Anne*, which arrived at Panama from Buenaventura on the 2d instant, brings news favorable to the cause of MOSQUERA, in Cauca. He had, before he sent reinforcements, 5,000 men in the State, and has, by this time, at least 7,000. Against these, Col. ARBOLEDA and the other Reactionist commander have not more than 4,000 men. Besides, ARBOLEDA, with nearly 4,000 of these, is completely hemmed in between Cali and Popayan, and must inevitably be taken prisoner. He lately endeavored, with a portion of his forces, to open communication with the State of Antioquia, which is also in arms against MOSQUERA, but was defeated and driven back by Col. FERNANDEZ, of LOPEZ' Division. Cali and Popayan, are both held by MOSQUERA, as well as all the river Dagua, to the coast, including Barbacoas and the coast towns of Buenaventura and Tuniaco. Gen. GUTIERREZ cuts off the retreat of ARBOLEDA to Pasto, being between him and that province, with 1,500 men. The demand of Ecuador for $100,000, for an invasion of her soil by reactionary troops from Pasto in Cauca, of course could not be met, and Ecuador has consequently invaded Pasto, which indeed is supposed to be the end sought in making such a preposterous demand; and so MOSQUERA gets no little aid from FLORES in crushing his enemies in Cauca.

A passenger by the *Anne* says that the Centralists, or Anti-Mosquera men, of Pasto and Tuguerres, are preparing to repel the Ecuadorian invasion. By decree of July 2, Gen. ZAMARRA "calls out" 3,000 men for that purpose; but it will probably prove a fizzle on the part of ZAMARRA.

OUR ASPINWALL CORRESPONDENCE.

LATER NEWS FROM BOGOTA—THE OPERATIONS OF MOSQUERA IN THE STATE OF CAUCA—FIGHTING—INVASION OF ANTIOQUIA—EXECUTIONS BY THE REACTIONARY LEADERS—THE LIBERAL CAUSE IN THE ASCENDANT.

ASPINWALL, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1862.

The British mail steamship *Solent*, which left Cartagena on the 4th instant, arrived in this port next day. She brings dates from Bogota to 16th July. The fact that Gen. MOSQUERA, Provincial President, has marched a very large force into the State of Cauca to engage the armies of ARBOLEDA, CANAL and ENAO, is confirmed. Also, the report that his principal General, LOPEZ, had had an encounter with the forces of ARBOLEDA and CANAL, though the Reactionists claim the victory. They have even magnified it into a great defeat of LOPEZ. The facts, however, on sifting the matter, are found to be that Gen. MOSQUERA did not intend his troops should engage the enemy until his Generals should be in such force as make victory certain. He consequently ordered LOPEZ, who had taken up a position at the foot of the Cordilleras, in Cauca, with less than three thousand men, to fall back if attacked, until reinforced; but this order LOPEZ found it inconvenient to obey, as it would be dispiriting to his troops, and correspondingly elate and strengthen his adversaries. Accordingly, the combined forces of ARBOLEDA and CANAL, on the 25th June, fell upon his encampment and cut off his Fifth and Tenth battalions. But these, nothing daunted by their perilous position, cut their way through ARBOLEDA'S columns, then in turn charged on his advanced guard, driving it a long distance back on his main force, leaving only twenty of their own men on the field, while ARBOLEDA had 56 killed. Both armies then resumed their positions, LOPEZ subsequently falling a little back to a stronger point. The united forces of ARBOLEDA and CANAL were over 3,500 men.

Gen. MOSQUERA has, altogether, about 8,000 men in Cauca; and against him, all told, cannot be over 5,000. He had promised to end the war in thirty days, and rumor, by way of the Pacific Coast, says he had reached Popayan, to take the command in person. He did leave Bogota for that purpose on the 2d of July, but he could not have joined the army so soon as is reported.

Gen. NIETO, from Carthagena, had entered the only other dissenting State, Antioquia, with a considerable force, and as soon as he set foot there a *pronunciamiento* at Rio Negro, in his favor, greeted him, giving him much strength. The reports from Antioquia were that there were only about 600 men embodied there for resistance to NIETO and MOSQUERA. This is the richest State in the Republic, but it being entirely inland, MOSQUERA has found it quite easy to cut off its foreign supplies, so that the people are suffering much for all manufactured goods, especially for blankets and clothing. The soldiers and officers, dressed in fancy, flaring cotton prints, the only goods obtainable for *uniforms*, very much resemble the clown of the pantomime. Speaking of NIETO, who inaugurated the revolution at Carthagena against the Constitutional Government of ORPINA, and who has done almost as much as MOSQUERA himself in consolidating the new Government, it is hinted that he is dissatisfied with the treatment he has experienced from his chief, and that he is only seeking a good opportunity to join his enemies. These reports come from the enemies of the Liberal cause, and probably have but little foundation.

The National Convention, which by decree, was to meet in Carthagena, on the 6th August, has been postponed in order that by the close of the war, Cauca and Antioquia may be enabled to have representatives in it. It is not likely it will get together before October.

As Señor JUSTO AROSEMENA, of Panama, who was sent from this State as its agent to negotiate upon the terms to be granted to the State on its acceptance of the Government of MOSQUERA, has taken his place as one of the Council at Bogota, to manage the affairs of the Government in the absence of the Provincial President, the inference was drawn that he has made a favorable arrangement for the State; but from a letter of his to the Governor of the State, just published, it appears he has agreed that Panama shall be guided by the action of the Cathagena Convention.

In Bogota, and indeed, in the whole State of Cundinamarca, perfect quiet prevails. The State Assembly was to meet in a few days to elect representatives to the Convention. Señor CAMACHO ROLDON, formerly Governor of Panama, and one of the ablest men in the country, has been appointed its Secretary of State.

The Legislature of the State of Boyaca has elected Gen. SANTOS GUTIERREZ, as Governor of the State, and Gen. SANTOS ACOSTA, Vice-Governor. You will see that we have many saints on both sides.

In the State of Santander, in which Col. CANAL kept up so long and successful a war against MOSQUERA, everything is quiet, and there is not a man in arms against the Provisional Government. The Assembly was on the eve of meeting to select representatives to the National Convention.

We have more reports of executions of men, military and civil, in Cauca, by Gen. ARBOLEDA. It is reported by way of Carthagena that he has executed Gen. PAYAN, whom he lately took prisoner; but it is scarcely possible he can have done this. ARBOLEDA is charged with having executed more than 200 persons since he has been in command in Cauca, about a year. If taken by MOSQUERA'S forces, Gen. ARBOLEDA, although a relative of MOSQUERA, will meet the same fate. MOSQUERA has been heard to swear that he will show him no mercy. Gen. ARBOLEDA is a man of great literary talent and genius—has lived in the United States and Europe, and his appearance little indicates him to be the sanguinary man he is represented to be.

A good deal of dissatisfaction is reported to prevail, and undoubtedly does prevail against Gen. MOSQUERA on the coast, growing out of his forced distribution of paper money, and his many decrees, some of which are very detrimental to trade and commerce.

On the whole, however, the cause of the "Liberal" party, headed by MOSQUERA, seems to be largely in the ascendant, and to be on the eve of establishing itself permanently as the ruling party in this Republic.

I should have mentioned that the official gazettes of Bogota are full of declarations from priests and curates in various parts of the country of acquiesence in the rule of MOSQUERA—which is a good sign for him, as they have mostly been violently opposed to him heretofore.

And I also neglected to mention the fact in the proper place, that Col. VIRGO, who more than a year ago was driven out of Santa Marta by MOSQUERA'S troops, and took refuge in Panama, has lately landed at Rio Hacha, in the State of Magdalena, with some arms from Curacoa and Venezuela, and is endeavoring to engage the Indians of that Province to use them against MOSQUERA'S Government. It is said he brought four hundred men from Venezuela, but this is probably an exaggeration. Col. BLANCO, with a body of men, has been sent from Cartagena to watch VIRGO, and an armed schooner has also been sent to Rio Hacha for the same purpose.

THE DEPARTURE OF THE CHAMPION—PROPOSITION FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF THE PANAMA DIFFICULTY, ETC.

ASPINWALL, Monday, Aug. 11, 1862.

The *Champion* leaves this morning, having waited for the arrival of the *Ariel*, in order to be on hand for the two runs of passengers expected from California, in case the *Ariel* might also have met with an accident.

On Friday, an agent of the Legitimate Government of the State, whose capital is at Santiago, arrived at Panama, with propositions to Provisional Governor DIAS to settle the quarrel between the two parties. The proposition comes from Don FRANCISCO FABREGO, Gov. GUARDIA'S Military Commander, and is to the effect that a State Convention of the people be called, to decide upon the course Panama will take in reference to the Government of MOSQUERA. He says he will be content with the decision of the people in council, but that he will stand to his arms if no spirit of accomodation exists on the part of Gov. DIAS. It is understood that the proposition will be rejected. The making of it shows a consciousness of great weakness on the part of the Constitutional Government, and tends to elate and strengthen the revolutionary party.

Gov. DIAS dispatched one hundred more men to Chitsé, on the Panama Bay coast, yesterday, to reinforce CORREOSA, who went there to look after the movements of Gov. GUARDIA.

The fine new British propeller *Crusader*, of HOLT'S Liverpool, West India and Aspinwall Line, has nearly discharged her 2,500 packages of goods for this port, and will leave in a day or two for Kingston, Jamaica and England.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Honduras and Guatemala Quiet—The Next Presidency of Nicaragua—Costa Rica, &c.

PANAMA, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1862.

The Panama Railroad Company's new steamship *Salvador* arrived at Panama, on the 5th, from her first voyage. She brings the usual cargo of cochineal, coffee, sugar, hides, &c., and a few passengers. Her dates from Guatemala are to the 27th of July—Salvador to the 28th—Nicaragua to the 29th, and Costa Rica to the 2d of August. The news is meagre and uninteresting.

HONDURAS AND GUATEMALA.

Honduras was quiet under the Vice-Presidency of CASTELLANOS. Like all the Central American States, Honduras was suffering from lack of bread and rice, and other agricultural products of prime necessity for the poor.

Guatemala was also quiet. Mr. CROSBY, the United States Minister, gave a good dinner and elegant ball to his countrymen and the chief officers of the Government, and principal citizens, on the 4th of July.

SALVADOR.

President BARRIOS continued his visits to the principal towns and agricultural districts of Salvador, and was everywhere received with *fêtes* of jollifications. At San Miguel the merchants gave him a ball, "which cost more than $1,500, and was attended by all the ladies of the city, dressed in blue and white." On the 20th July, a *fête* was given to him at a country house. "The dancing commenced at 12 o'clock at noon, and lasted till 9½ in the evening."

The difficulties about the priests agreeing to obey the laws of the Government had not yet been arranged.

NICARAGUA.

There was a good deal of talk about the next Presidency, but the general opinion was that Gen. MARTINEZ would succeed himself, without revolution.

Stories were in circulation that American fillibusters were about to invade anew Nicaragua, led by Gen. HENNINGSEN. Perhaps there will be a chance of this, after HENNINGSEN has played his part with JEFF. DAVIS.

Capt. EDWARD J. FURBER, who once commanded Liverpool and London packet ships out of New-York, had gotten his new gold machinery to Chontales, and great results were expected. In the District of Chontales, so great was the scarcity of food that one-quarter of the inhabitants had gone to Granada and the Island of Ometepe. Even plantains sold six for a real.

COSTA RICA.

Congress had adjourned, and the country was getting along quietly.

Miss MARY J. CHRISTIE, a beautiful and finely educated young lady of New-York, who went to Costa Rica in August last, has married Señor JUAN SERRANO, a lawyer of San José.

An Italian Opera Company was in full blast at San José.

The new Peruvian Minister to Costa Rica, had introduced himself favorably to the fashionable society of San José, by giving a ball at which 700 persons "assisted," and costing $8,000.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Loss of the British Steamship Lima—Meeting of the Peruvian Congress—The New Cabinet of Chili—The Argentine Republic, &c.

PANAMA, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1862.

The British mail steamship *Valparaiso* arrived at Panama from South American ports on the 5th. She brings dates from Valparaiso and Santiago de Chili to July 20, and from Callao and Lima to July 28. The British steamship *Anne* brings dates from Guayaquil, Ecuador, to July 21.

ECUADOR.

There is but little news from this State. Ecuador is one of the countries where newspapers do not seem to thrive—probably for the reason that the people don't care much for dry Government decrees, about the only things that editors in those latitudes find it generally safe to publish. The country seems to be quiet, politically as well as commercially. Business is exceedingly dull in Guayaquil, money scarce, and no demand for exchange.

PERU.

The principal news was the loss of the British Steamship Company's magnificent vessel, the *Lima*, which occurred on the 11th July. The Lima *Comercio* gives the following particulars of this accident:

"While running at common speed the vessel struck upon a reef of the Lagarto Island, situated some fifty-five miles southward of Cobija.

The forward part of the vessel becoming immediately filled with water, that overflowed the machinery, and it being evidently impossible to save her, the boats were got out and manned; the female passengers and children being placed in the first boat, while the male passengers went into the second. A little inlet of the island, about a mile to the northward, offering a shelter, they were all landed there in perfect safety. Having thus saved the passengers, attention was next had to the mail, the treasure, the passengers' luggage, and what articles of cargo could be removed, all being safely landed at the same little island harbor. When about 5 o'clock in the afternoon it became obvious that the vessel was going down, the Captain, first officer, and those of the crew that had remained on board, abandoned her.

Boats were sent to Cobija in quest of succor, and on the 15th, four days after the disaster, the American ship *Moonlight*, that had been chartered in Cobija for this purpose, reached the scene of the wreck. The persons and stores on the little island having been now embarked is this vessel, the *Guayaquil* took her in tow, and they reached Cobija in safety on the 16th.

The steamer *San Carlos* was appointed to conduct the passengers and mails of the *Lima* to their destination, and was to leave Cobija on the 18th."

The *Lima* was insured. She had been running for ten years on this coast, between Panama and Valparaiso, and last year was sent to England, where she was put in excellent repair, and her machinery, &c., improved. At the time of her loss, she was commanded by Capt. WYLD, who, on making the island, retired to sleep, giving the course to the first officer, who, it is said, took the responsibility of deviating from it, and thus lost the vessel.

The Peruvian Congress was duly installed on the 28th of July. Don MIGUEL DEL CARPIO was elected President of the Senate, and Don JOSE MARIA PEREZ President of the Deputies. President CASTILLA sent in a lengthy message, in which there is nothing particularly noticeable, except the strong language against European intervention in America.

The Penitentiary in Lima, to hold 350 convicts, has just been completed after seven years' labor, at an expense of over a million of dollars.

The Government continued to borrow small sums of money from the merchants for its present expenses, in anticipation of the eight million loan, soon expected from Europe.

Business in guano, from the number of vessels at the Chincha Islands, seems to be increasing. The merchants, however, in Callao and Lima, complain of dull times. Exchange on London, 40 to 41 pence per dollar. Bolivian silver.

There is no news from Bolivia.

CHILI.

The new Cabinet has been duly installed, with Don MANUEL A. TORCONAL, Secretary of State; Don MIGUEL M. GUEMES, Secretary of Justice, Worship and Public Instruction; Don MARCOS MATURANA, Secretary of War and Navy; Don JOSE V. LASTARTIA, Secretary of the Treasury. These appointments give general satisfaction.

Congress was deliberating on measures to facilitate the interests of the country in trade, agriculture, mining and commerce. Coronel, the great coal port, was to be made a first-class port, the export trade of that place, in coal, copper bars, brick, &c., last year, amounting to $1,039 16, while the imports reached $572,833. A Custom-house is also recommended at Melipulli, in the new province of Llanguihue.

The Senate rejected the project for a National Bank.

The papers of Valparaiso, as well as the Secretary of the Treasury, complain of the great smuggling operations carried on by the British mail steamers, on the coast, they taking advantage of the liberal privileges given them by the Government, to cheat it out of its legal dues. Great complaint is also made of the overbearing conduct and lack of accommodation, as well as looseness on their part in the fulfillment of their contracts with the Government. One little British steamer gets $40,000 per year subsidy for only twelve trips a year between ports only 540 miles apart. There is a great trade on this coast, which persons or companies owning American steamers might avail themselves of profitably.

The Secretary of the Treasury reports the whole income of the Government in 1861, at $5,856,821 19, being $1,511,334 42 less than in 1860. The imports in 1861 were $16,676,422. The exports, $20,329,629.

The domestic 3 per cent. debt of Chili is $2,342,225. The British debt about $12,000,000, of which $7,000,000 was contracted in 1858 for the completion of the Valparaiso and Santiago Railroad.

Business the past fortnight has been dull. Inported goods, especially dry goods, dull of sale. The low price of copper has caused the stoppage of exports of poor mineral, and coals for forges are consequently dull. Money is plenty enough, on good security, at 8 per cent. Best flour $4 10 per quintal, six months. Barley low and dull. Rice 8 to 11 cents. Lumber plenty and dull. Copper Bars, $17 37½, cash. Freights for England and Hamburg, £4 to £4 5. Exchange on London, 60 and 90 days, 45 to 45¼ pence per dollar.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

Advices from Buenos Ayres are to 30th May, and from Rosario to 2d June. The General Congress, called by President MITRE, was in session. The Government had approved of the arrangement made with Gen. PENALOSA, at San Luis, the only chief in arms against it. Good progress is made in the building of railroads. The city of Buenos Ayres is to have abundance of good water introduced into it.

LATER FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

No Probability of Saving the Golden Gate's Treasure—British Columbia and Oregon, &c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Monday, Aug. 18.

Arrived ship *Thacher*, MAGOWN, from Cork.

Sailed, ship *George Lee*, for Hong Kong, carrying wheat and other California products, and $170,000 in treasure.

Trade is dull. Butter, 27c. Tobacco firm. Candles slack.

JAMES DONOHUE, one of the wealthiest pioneers of California, died on Saturday, aged 38 years. He was noted for the munificence of his charities.

It is believed by the saved passengers of the *Golden Gate* that the treasure that was on board of her is buried deeply in the sand, and that there is scarcely a possibility of saving any of it.

Capt. HUDSON chartered a schooner at Manzanilla, and has made several trips to the wreck.

The news from British Columbia is to the 13th inst. The reports from Cariboo are rather favorable. More gold has been received from that district this year than for the corresponding period of last year. A scarcity in provisions is said to exist.

SAN FRANCISCO, Tuesday, Aug. 19.

Arrived, steamer *Pacific*, bringing $100,000 in treasure and $64,000 from Oregon.

Sailed, ship *Mary L. Sutton*, for New-York, with a cargo of 1,400 bales of wool, 20,000 hides, and a variety of domestic products; ship *Flying Cloud*, for Hong-Kong, with wheat and flour, and $146,000 in treasure.

A fire broke out in the St. George's Hotel, Sacramento, on the 17th inst., damaging the building considerably, and also some dry goods in the first story. Loss, $20,000.

A water-spout burst in the sparsely-settled portion of Los Angelos County, on the 18th inst., fifty miles from the ocean, filling the long ravine with water 14 feet deep. A man and woman riding in a carriage were caught in the flood, and the woman and horses drowned. The man floated more than a mile to a place of safety.

THE MILITARY EXCITEMENT.

ARRIVAL OF REGIMENTS EN ROUTE FOR THE SEAT OF WAR.

SIXTEENTH MAINE REGIMENT.

The Sixteenth Maine Regiment, numbering 1,040 rank and file, arrived in this City yesterday afternoon on the steamer *Bay State* from Fall River. The organization of this regiment was commenced nearly three months since, and is the first regiment that has left that State since the last call for volunteers. It is composed principally of farmers and lumbermen, who present a hardy appearance. The Colonel of the regiment, A. W. WILD, belonged to the Staff of Gov. WASHBURNE, and the Lieutenant-Colonel and Major have seen service as Captains in the Second Regiment of that State. The regiment was landed at Jersey City, whence they took the cars for Baltimore, and have ere this arrived in Washington. The following are the principal officers:

Colonel, A. W. WILD.

Lieut.-Colonel, C. W. Tilden; Major, A. B. Farnum; Adjutant, A. R. Small; Surgeon, Chas. Alexander; Assistant Surgeon, J. Bagster; Chaplain, Rev. Mr. Bullen; Quartermaster, Tucker. Co. A, Capt. I. Williams; Co. B, Capt. Charles H. Hutchins; Co. C, Capt. Daniel Marston; Co. D, Capt. Rand; Co. E, Capt. A. D. Leavitt; Co. F, Capt. Belcher; Co. G, Capt. Thos. Waitworth; Co. H, Capt. J. Ayer; Co. I, Capt. W. H. Waldron; Co. K, Capt. Whitehouse.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH NEW-YORK REGIMENT.

This regiment, which was recruited in Albany, arrived here in a steamboat from that city yesterday afternoon, on its way to Washington. They were landed at Jersey City and took the New-Jersey railread last evening for Philadelphia. The following are the line officers, the Lieutenant-Colonel not being yet appointed:

Colonel—LEWIS O. MORRIS.

Major, Edward A. Springsteed; Adjutant, Frederick F. Tremain; Quartermaster Sergeant, Wm. Stevens.

Line Officers.—Captains—Murphy, Jones, Morris, McCulloch, Moore, Bell, Shandon, Pruyn; Maguire, Anable.

First Lieutenants—Sickles, Kennedy, Rogers, Shurr, Lockrow, Wright, O'Hare, McEwen, Dushame, Barclay.

Second Lieutenants—Reed, Orr, Bell, Coulson, Mount, Mullins, Ball, Hobbs, Pettit, Crank.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH NEW-YORK REGIMENT.

This regiment, which left Rochester on Tuesday evening, arrived here late last night, and took up their quarters at the Park Barracks, where they will receive their arms to-day, and depart for Washington this evening. The regiment was recruited principally in Rochester. The following are the Field and Staff officers, with the exception of the Lieutenant-Colonel, who has not yet been selected:

O. H. PALMER, Colonel.

Geo. B. Force, Major; John T. Chumasero, Adjutant; Joseph S. Harris, Quartermaster; J. F. Whitbeck, Surgeon; Dr. Arner, First Assistant Surgeon; W. S. Ely, Second Assistant Surgeon; James Nichols, Chaplain; Charles B. Ayres, Sergeant-Major; Theron E. Parson, Quartermaster Sergeant; A. T. Wells, Commissary Sergeant; W. Y. Andrews, Hospital Steward.

The above regiments are but the vanguard of the new army of volunteers which will continue to flow through this City for the next three weeks. Five more regiments from Maine are expected here within a week, commencing with the Seventeenth, which is due to-day.

Connecticut has four new regiments ready, the Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth, which will start for the seat of war during the coming week, and four more which will be ready the week after. Banners for all these regiments have been ordered, but the recruiting has been so rapid that there has not been time to manufacture them, and they will have to be sent to the regiments after they have taken the field.

Massachusetts, which has already sent forward one regiment under the new call, has a dozen more nearly ready to take the field, who will soon make their appearance in our midst; and as for New-York, almost every county has its regiment under way, and most of them are already nearly full. For the next month the streets of our City will bristle anew with bayonets scarcely less numerous than of a year ago. It is gratifying to be able to state, however, that there will be none of those tedious parades and long-winded speeches which characterized the reception of regiments last year. The time for talk has passed, and the only greeting appropriate for the soldiers who now pass through this City on their way to the war is a "Godspeed" from all our citizens, and that they are sure to get.

MILITARY MOVEMENTS IN THE CITY.

PROGRESS OF ENLISTMENTS.

There was no diminution of the lately aroused enthusiasm for volunteering to be noticed yesterday. Recruits for regiments in the field came in rapidly, and a very large number joined the new organizations being raised in the City and neighborhood. There was an immense influx of business to the United States mustering office, and the officials there had hard work to inspect and swear in all the applicants brought to them for that purpose. All the camps where the new regiments are stationed were in a marvelously lively condition. Squads of men desirous of being enrolled arrived every hour, and the Adjutants and Doctors there were kept busy until nearly dark.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE.

A great amount of requisitions for clothing and equipments were yesterday, as they have been every day, filled by the indefatigable officials of the Quartermaster's Department. The increased facilities for meeting these requisitions, supplied by the opening of the auxiliary office on Canal and Lispenard streets, have lightened the burdens of Gen. ARTHUR and his immediate aids; but the amount of actual work done is more overwhelming than ever.

UNITED STATES QUARTERMASTERS.

The United States Quartermasters have a tremendously laborious time of it—quite as much so as their *confrères* in the "State" Department. The superintendence of the Park Barracks is now in their hands, and adds materially to their range of duties. They sent off yesterday about 300 recruits for regiments now in the field.

WANT TO BE DRAFTED—EXAMPLES WORTHY OF IMITATION.

The following communications were yesterday received at Police Headquarters by Mr. Superintendent KENNEDY. The spirit evinced in these letters is worthy of emulation:

To John A. Kennedy, Esq., Chief of Police, New-York:

SIR,—My father having refused me his permission to volunteer, and being anxious to serve my country in its present need, *I wish to be drafted if possible.* I have paid military dues in New-York City for two years past; have passed an examination by an army surgeon and ought not to be left out. Not knowing whom to address, I have taken the liberty to trouble you. I would feel honored in receiving any communication from you which your duties will allow.

Respectfully, &c., ———.

The other communication is as follows:

John A. Kennedy, Esq., Provost-Marshal, &c.:

DEAR SIR: You will have the kindness to have my name enroiled, as I have got no exemption from the coming draft, and oblige, yours respectfully,

MICHAEL BROSLY,

Corner of Forty-sixth-street and First-avenue.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO AID THE FAMILIES OF THE METROPOLITAN GUARD.

The patriotic sentiment of the people of the Twenty-eighth Precinct has commenced to develop itself in a most satisfactory manner. Late yesterday, subscriptions were opened in aid of the families of the *two* Metropolitan Regiments now being raised. The following gentlemen promptly subscribed and paid down the following sums in aid of said object:

Wm. H. Muller & Co	$100
R. P. Gilley & Son	50
E. C. Lamson	30
J. H. Holcomb	25

It is the intention of Capt. DIXON to publish in full a list of all subscriptions at an early day next week.

MILITARY AFFAIRS IN BROOKLYN.

The city was all alive yesterday. Recruiting officers were seen everywhere, some with one, two, and even with six or eight men, on the way to the different head-quarters. The recruiting tents in the City Hall Park increased to nine, and the drums in front of each kept up the music from morning till night. Tents have also been pitched in Washington Park, the City Park, at the Navy-yard, and at other eligible points. The whole city, in fact, begins to wear a military aspect. The people are aroused, the wealthy men are coming forward with their contributions, and the consequence is that men of the right stamp are enlisting in squads.

The scene about the headquarters of the Empire Brigade and the Senatorial Regiment was animating. Recruits came flocking in so fast that it was with difficulty that they could all be attended to. Sixty-nine men were sworn in for the First Regiment, Col. JOURDAN, and seventy-eight were passed by the Surgeon of Col. CONK'S Regiment from the day previous. The four regiments of the Empire Brigade now average 500 men each, and it is confidently anticipated that the First Regiment will be filled within a week. At the present rate of recruiting, it will be more than filled within that time.

Col. CONK, of the Senatorial Regiment, has been laboring under a number of disadvantages, which, up to this week, has greatly retarded his progress. He has as yet no permanent quarters for his men. Some are kept at the City Armory, some at the Arsenal, and others at headquarters, corner of Court and Joralemon streets. An orber has been made for a sufficient number of tents, which it is expected will be received on Friday or Saturday, when a camp will be promptly formed on Fort Green, the site occupied by the Fourteent Regiment eighteen months ago.

Mayor KALBFLEISCH has, on his own responsibility ordered 168 A tents and 14 wall tents for the officers and men of the First Regiment of the Empire Brigade. They are to be furnished on Friday, when a camp will be formed on the parade ground at East New-York. The barracks are becoming too crowded, and it is therefore necessary to provide othee quarters. The regiment is orderod to parade on Friday, as will be seen by the following order:

HEADQUARTERS FIRST REGIMENT EMPIRE BRIGADE, Aug. 30, 1862.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.—All commissioned officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates of this regiment, are hereby ordered to assemble at the barracks, at East New-York, for the purpose of attending a regimental parade on the afternoon of Friday, the 22d inst. Every member of the regiment must be present unless previously excused.

By order JAS. JORDAN, Colonel Commanding.

J. HANLEY, Adjutant.

The Mechanics' Bank of Brooklyn yesterday cashed 175 checks for bounties to recruits, and the day previous 93, amounting to a total of $7,500.

The friends of Lieut. UDERHILL, of the First Fire Zouaves, who was captured at the battle of Bull Run, will be gratified to learn that he has been exchanged, after 13 months' imprisonment, and is expected to be in Brooklyn on Friday of this week.

Gen. DURYEA has received a letter from JULIEN ALLEN, Purser of the United States transport *Baltic*, a citizen of Brooklyn, inclosing $50 as a contribution to the Enlistment Fund, which has been handed over to Mayor KALBFLEISCH.

WAR MEETING IN ITHACA.

ITHACA, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

A great war meeting is being held here to-day. All business is suspended.

THE GUERRILLAS IN THE SOUTHWEST.

LOUISVILLE, Wednesday, Aug. 20.

The rumored capture of Gen. NELSON by the rebels near Gallatin, on Monday, is utterly false. A tolerably well-authenticated report says that Col. GANARD, with six or seven hundred men, attacked SCOTT'S Louisiana Cavalry yesterday, at Laurel Bridge, near Linden. After quite a severe fight he defeated them, splitting the rebel regiments in two parts, which skedaddled in different directions. There are no particulars of the losses on either side.

The steamers *Sky Lark* and *Sallie* were burned by guerrillas the night of the 18th, at the mouth of Duck Creek, 50 miles above Fort Henry. The *Sky Lark* was heavily laden with Government stores. She got aground, and an officer unloaded a portion of her stores, when he was attacked by thirty guerrillas. The crew being unarmed were compelled to surrender. The guerrillas, after removing the furniture and silverware, set fire to both the boats. The crews were released on parole.

The steamer *J. H. Dickey* reports all quiet.

There was a slight skirmish on the 10th, thirteen miles from Memphis, with a part of JEFF. THOMPSON'S Cavalry. The rebels were routed, having one killed and two wounded.

A dispatch from Smithland, dated 19th, says that a rebel force, six hundred strong, have taken Clarksville, and are advancing on Fort Henry.

A dispatch from Fort Donelson confirms the capture of Clarksville, and says the rebels are moving on that work. There are only 150 efficient men there. Reieforcements have been asked for.

The Grenada *Appeal* of the 17th publishes "Stonewall" JACKSON'S official report of the battle of Cedar Mountain. He claims a brilliant victory.

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Passengers Arrived.

AUG. 20—*In steamship Glasgow, from Liverpool*—Miss A. Richardson, Miss S. Blackburn, Mr. Grierson and wife, Miss Nelson, W. Lacey, Mr. Graham, Mr. Reath, W. P. Gardner, Richard Gardner, W. Hulme, W. T. Fisher, H. Robertson, J. Martin and wife, T. Tounson, M. I. Schlesinger, W. Turoote, Mr. Defrers, Mr. Sigesmore, J. Bradford, Wm. Paulin, Antonia Danen and wife